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New York stocks continued active, but prices closed irregular. Call loan rates advanced to 12 per cent. Pittsburgh stocks dull but steady. The Chicago grain market was closed during the entire day on account of elections. Reports of other centers.—Pages 14 and 15.

THE WEATHER

Fair today, and fair and colder tomorrow, is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 60 degrees and the minimum 32 degrees. The sun rose clear at 6:01 a. m., and set clear at 6:47 p. m. The daily report, as furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Time.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Vel.	Weather.
8 a. m.....	35	88	N. W.	3	Clear
2 p. m.....	55	20	S.	5	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for April 3:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum ...	60	70	Mean	46	58
Minimum ...	33	45	Precipitation ...	0	.02
Nor. temp. 31 yrs..	47		Nor. precip. 31 yrs..	.09	
Dfcy. for day	1		Dfcy. for day	.08	
Dfcy. since April 1.	13		Dfcy. since April 1..	.27	
Dfcy. since Jan. 1..	43		Dfcy. since Jan. 1...	2.19	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Forecast: West Virginia, Ohio and Western Pennsylvania—Fair Wednesday; Thursday fair, colder, light to fresh southwest to northwest winds.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

Chicago ...	56 Cloudy	Cincinnati ...	64 Clear
Dubuque ...	60 Cloudy	Parkersburg ...	58 Clear
St. Louis ...	63 Cloudy	Springf'd, Ill.	64 PtCldy
Columbus ...	69 Clear	Indianapolis ...	62 PtCldy
Peoria	66 Cloudy	Washington ...	50 Clear
Omaha	38 Rain	Davenport ...	62 Cloudy
Buffalo	42 Clear	Des Moines ...	52 Cloudy
Atlanta	64 Clear	Grand Rapids	60 Cloudy
Louisville ...	68 PtCldy	Grand Haven.	58 Cloudy
Nashville ...	70 Clear	Memphis	72 PtCldy
Duluth	40 PtCldy	Vicksburg	76 Cloudy
Marquette ...	48 Clear	Philadelphia	50 Clear
Madison	60 Cloudy	New York.....	46 Clear
El Paso	72 Cloudy	Cleveland	48 Clear
Oklahoma ...	58 PtCldy	Baltimore	48 Clear
Amarillo ...	34 Rain	Montgomery	68 PtCldy
Cairo	68 Cloudy	New Orleans.	74 PtCldy
Abilene	64 Cloudy	Shreveport ...	62 Cloudy
Wichita	44 Rain	Chattanooga	68 Clear
Concordia ..	58 Cloudy	Springf'd, Mo.	66 Cloudy
Huron	44 Clear	Kansas City..	68 Cloudy
Havre	44 Clear	Yellowstone	26 Clear
Bismarck ...	28 Cloudy	Jacksonville	88 Clear
Helena	38 Clear	Dodge City ...	52 Rain
St. Paul	44 Cloudy	North Platte.	44 Cloudy
Norfolk	42 Clear	Rapid City...	20 Clear
Galveston ...	62 Cloudy	Little Rock...	48 Cloudy
Cheyenne ...	28 Cloudy	Fort Smith ...	58 Cloudy
Denver	28 Snow	*Los Angeles	48 Clear
Salt Lake ...	40 PtCldy	*Boston	50 Clear

*Observations taken at 8 a. m.

INDEPENDENT COAL OPERATORS FORM ORGANIZATION AND VOTE TO KEEP THEIR MINES CLOSED

Patrick Dolan Instructs Miners Not to Work. He Has Strenuous Day—Mitchell Expresses Satisfaction With Situation.

STRIKING MINERS ENJOINED IN SOMERSET COUNTY

Independent operators of Pittsburgh district formed an organization and decided to resist the demands of the miners for the signing of the 1903 scale.

Pittsburgh Coal Company miners failed to report for work in as large numbers as expected when the 1903 scale was signed.

Patrick Dolan sent notices to all the union miners in District No. 5 to refuse to work under the contracts signed Monday. Earlier in the day the miners ejected Dolan from their convention, over which he attempted to preside.

President Mitchell in New York expressed satisfaction with the progress made toward settlements in the bituminous fields.

Judge Kooser enjoined striking miners from interfering with the operation of Somerset county mines.

In Ohio, Indiana and Illinois bituminous districts the situation is practically unchanged.

Anthracite operators conferred with President Mitchell and the U. M. W. A. scale committee in New York. Neither side made any concessions. Another conference will be held Thursday afternoon.

All miners in the anthracite region remained out. Good order prevailed.

Gov. Pennypacker wrote to Baer and Mitchell urging that a strike be avoided.

THE LOCAL SITUATION.

Forty independent coal operators of the Pittsburgh district met in the Frick building last night and decided upon the organization of the Independent Coal Operators' association of Western Pennsylvania. The new organization claims to represent an annual tonnage of 20,000,000, and its first act was to re-affirm the action taken Monday night in refusing to sign the new wage scale. The independent operators adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman and announced that their mines will remain closed at least for the immediate future.

Further confusion was added to the mining situation in the Pittsburgh district this last evening when Patrick Dolan issued a statement to the effect that miners who agree to work under the proposed 1906 scale will, in reality, be making great concessions to the operators, notwithstanding the advance of 5.55 per cent in wages.

Agreement to Pay Scale.

In his statement, Dolan quotes from the papers signed Monday by operators representing 21,000,000 tons, which was an agreement and not the scale proper. It is as follows:

"We hereby agree to pay the 1906 scale as adopted in Indianapolis February 7, 1903, the same to cover a period of two years from April 1, 1906, to April 1, 1908."

Dolan declares that since the original signing of the 1903 scale, when subsequent reductions were made the miners gained valuable concessions, such as a 10 per cent reduction in house rent, $1 more for "turning a room," extra pay for dead work, and a 10 per cent reduction on company store goods. A reduction in the price of coal to miners was also made. Dolan claims that an acceptance of the 1903 scale foregoes all these concessions, and places the miners under the conditions of the 1903 agreement. He claims further that another national convention will be necessary to include the concessions made since the original wage scale of 1903.

Cost of Two Conventions.

This statement, which has been sent to all locals, concludes by announcing that "the Pittsburgh district has spent $100,000 in sending delegates to the two national conventions and the local convention held this year, while the national organization has spent $1,000,000 in the two conventions held, with the result that the men are worse off than when they started."

This statement is expected to have a further influence in keeping the miners from work at present. Yesterday but 100 cars of coal were mined throughout the Pittsburgh district. These figures are not only those of the independent operators who have refused to sign the new scale, but are also the figures given by Vice President W. R. Woodford of the Pittsburgh Coal Company. The average daily output of the Pittsburgh Coal Company is 40,000 tons, while the 100 cars mined yesterday represent but 5,000 tons, include yesterday's output of all the companies who have signed the scale agreement. Officers of these companies claim the men were suffering from the effects of the holiday on Monday, and predict they will secure full operation early next week.

Lewis Doesn't Trust Mitchell.

Miners from the Charleroi district reported at local headquarters yesterday that National Vice President Thomas L. Lewis, in an address in that place Monday night, advised the miners not to go to work until every operator in the district had signed the new scale. He had intended to come to Pittsburgh, but informed the miners, it is said, that he must hurry back to Indianapolis to watch the working of the national organization, which he did not trust to Mitchell.

The factional fight among the miners in the district convention here reached such bitterness yesterday that Patrick Dolan, who is fighting to retain the district presidency, was forcibly ejected from the convention hall yesterday morning. Meanwhile three men are claiming the presidency and 27 locals are in dispute over the legality of the election held within their bounds.

Dolan Controlled the Telephone.

Secretary-Treasurer William Dodds sent notices to all the locals yesterday, contradicting Dolan's contention that the scales signed to date in the district were signed by an unauthorized and illegal scale committee and ordered the men to work. The claim is made that on Monday Dolan controlled the only telephone connected with all the locals in the district, and hence they could receive no

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IN ADJOINING FIELDS.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, April 3.—President John Mitchell, in discussing the situation in the bituminous fields, said he had received a large number of telegrams during the day from the soft coal fields, which satisfied him that affairs in those regions are working themselves out just as he had anticipated. Thousands of men, he said, returned to work today under the scale of 1903, which gives them an increase of 5.55 cents over the wages received during the last two years.

SOMERSET, PA., April 3.—To utter the name "scab" to a non-union miner at Windber, where the miner's strike has just begun, will be in contempt of court, as Judge Kooser this evening granted a temporary injunction on application of the Derwind-White Coal Mining Company, restraining 146 union miners, including National Organizer Joseph Ginter, from interfering with employes of the coal company, or any person about to enter its employ by any threats, personal violence, or intimidation. They are also restrained from calling out "scab" or non-union workmen. Neither must they loiter on company property or the public highways of Somerset county. The order prohibits any other act interfering with the operation of the company's mines in Somerset county. April 8 has been set for the final hearing to decide whether the injunction will be permanent.

Operators' Inter-State Board.

COLUMBUS, O., April 3.—Horace L. Chapman, one of the members of the bituminous operators advisory board, said today that he had been in communication with the leading operators of Illinois, Indiana and Eastern Ohio and all of them would continue firm in opposition to the miners' demands. The operators who are opposed to paying an advance in the mining scale have appointed a joint advisory board consisting of two members from each state to act as a means of communication between the states concerned. No new action is to be taken in the matter of a settlement of the mining question by any state without consultation through this board, it is said. Its members are: Ohio—John H. Winder and H. L. Chapman; Indiana—J. C. Kolem and A. Hogle; Illinois—A. J. Moorehead and H. N. Taylor of Chicago; Pennsylvania—George A. Magoon and J. M. Stoneroad of Pittsburgh.

The executive board of the Ohio Mine Workers' organization today decided to permit the miners to sign contracts with any operators who are willing to pay the 1903 scale. The various sub-district organizations will prepare agreements based on the 1903 scale, which will be presented to the operators willing to sign contracts.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., April 3.—Miners at a mass meeting in Wellsville indorsed the action of the national and district officers of the United Mines Workers of

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GIANT FORCE WREAKS DESTRUCTION

Front and Rear Views of the Building After the Explosion.

GAS EXPLOSION WRECKS BLOCK AND HURTS 21

Girl Finds Leak With Lighted Match and Fifth Avenue Is Shaken Up.

Edna Johnston hunted for a gas leak with a lighted match in the apartments of Mrs. Elizabeth Mink at 1607 Fifth avenue at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The explosion that followed injured 21 persons, wrecked two houses and broke windows all around the neighborhood. None of the injured persons are seriously hurt. The property loss is estimated at $40,000.

THE INJURED.

ALICE PLAVE, aged 21, of 1920 Sedgwick street, Allegheny; burned about the face and hands; taken to the Mercy hospital.

MRS. ELIZABETH MINK, 1607 Fifth avenue; bruised and cut about the head and body; taken to the Mercy hospital and later removed to the home of a neighbor.

EDNA JOHNSTON, aged 20, of 1607 Fifth avenue; cut about the face and head; taken to the Mercy hospital and later removed to the home of a relative.

W. F. BURGOON, a dental student attending the Western University of Pennsylvania; cut about the head; taken to Dr. Shaw's office and later went home.

VINCENSO FRANCESKA, 11 Vine street; cut about head; taken to the Mercy hospital.

AUGUST SHULTZ, 6 Vine street; cut about the face and hands; taken to the Mercy hospital.

EDWARD M'DONALD, 530 Cornelia street; cut about head; taken to the Mercy hospital.

ROSSARIO BASTONTINE, 1603 Our alley; cut about the hands and face; taken to the Mercy hospital.

MICHAEL STERA, 1709 Forbes street; cut about the head; taken to the Mercy hospital.

MRS. MARY OBITT, 1605 Fifth avenue; cut about the face and bruised.

VIVIAN OBITT, aged 3, of 1605 Fifth avenue; bruised and cut about the head.

MRS. DELPERIO, 1605 Fifth avenue; bruised and cut about the head.

MRS. O. P. AYERS, 1605 Fifth avenue; cut about the head.

E. CORSINELLI, 1609 Fifth avenue; cut about the head.

JAMES FRANK, 1824 Forbes street; cut about the head and face by flying glass.

MICHAEL LOZIZ, 1603 Our Alley; cut about the face and hands.

ALBERT EPARELLI, 1603 Our alley; cut about the face and head.

MRS. L. WILLIAMS, 1601 Fifth avenue; cut about the face and hands.

MICHAEL SPEER, 1844 Forbes street; cut about the face and hands; taken to Mercy hospital.

AUGUST SPIRO, 18 Congress street, burned about the face; taken to Mercy hospital.

Damage to Buildings.

The building in which the explosion occurred, 1605-7 Fifth avenue, is owned by I. L. Aronson. It is valued at $60,000 and

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SAILOR SENDS THE PALMS FOR HIS OWN BIER

Takes Them from a Tree That Later Shades His Temporary Resting Place.

Palms he sent home, and which waved over the soldier dead in Cuba, drooped last night over the sealed casket containing the remains of John Rindfuss, age 19, who died while in the navy, and, after sleeping four months in a Cuban cemetery, was brought to his parents' residence, 17 Industry street, for final interment. On November 16 he wrote home told of his good health, and said:

"I send you by mail some palms I cut from a tree on McCalla hill. Under the tree are buried a captain and six privates, killed in action during the Spanish-American war."

One week later a message was received at the home on the South Side that John had died on board the cruiser Monongahela of intermittent fever at Guatanama, Cuba. A letter followed from the commander, telling of his death and of his exemplary life as a sailor. He was buried at the foot of McCalla hill, where he plucked the palms to send home, and which last night waved over his remains, while his casket was draped with an American flag.

At the request of the father the remains were shipped home, and yesterday they arrived in a hermetically-sealed casket. The Grand Army loaned the flag to the family to drape the casket, and this evening a squad of five sailors, located in Pittsburgh, will give the body a military burial by night, as the time set for the funeral is 8 o'clock.

CITY WILL BUY RAILWAYS.

Voters of Chicago Favor Purchasing of Lines, but Not Operating Them By the City.

CHICAGO, April 3.—(Special.)—As a result of the most interesting election ever held here the city of Chicago can proceed to acquire and control the street railways but cannot operate them, but the voters declared as a question of public policy, it would be desirable for the city to do so. The proposition to operate the railways fell short 17,792 votes of the number to make it binding. The others were carried by small majorities.

The liquor men lost their fight against the 15 aldermen who were up for re-election and who had voted for the raising of the saloon license to $1,000. Twelve of these aldermen were returned to council and three of them defeated. There is little danger that the high license will be repealed.

DID NOT WISH TO BE ALONE.

Aged Woman Commits Suicide in New York When She Learns Her Sister Will Die.

NEW YORK, April 3.—(Special.)—Not desiring to survive her elder sister Clara, 75 years old, who died sometime last night, Miss Elina Francfort, 65 years old, killed herself today by inhaling illuminating gas.

The condition in which the bodies were discovered in their apartments in East Eighteenth street, indicated to the police that one had died a natural death while the other had killed herself. Miss Clara's body lay in bed, but that of her sister was in a rocking chair, beside the window.

PRESIDENT TO RECEIVE THEM.

Eighty Pittsburgh School Teachers Will Visit the White House Tomorrow Afternoon.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—(Special.)—A party of about 80 teachers from Pittsburgh will be received by President Roosevelt on Thursday afternoon in the East room of the White House. The arrangement was made today by Representative Graham, but as Mr. Graham will not be here on Thursday the honors will be done on that occasion by Representative James F. Burke.

The privilege of meeting the President is one that can be appreciated by the teachers of Pittsburgh as several parties of teachers from other parts of the country who came here on the spring excursions have been unable to arrange a reception of this kin

FIRST NATIONAL BANK TO BUILD SKYSCRAPER IN TWO SECTIONS

Magnificent Structure at Fifth Avenue and Wood Street to Be 20 or 24 Stories and Will Cost Not Less Than $2,000,000.

The First National bank skyscraper will be built in sections. The first section will be erected on the four lots just east of the present bank building, 305-311 Wood street. Today the tenants in the buildings on these lots will be notified officially just how long they can stay. Possibly they will move out May 1. Probably they will be asked to move before that date, for President F. H. Skelding wants to see the skyscraper got under way as soon as possible.

The directors of the First National met late yesterday afternoon. That a skyscraper was decided on is pretty well known. How high is will be has not been settled and no building committee was appointed. These facts were learned from J. D. Culbertson, a director of the bank. Not less than 20 stories and not more than 24 was the original intention of the First National and according to the plans drawn by the architects, Rutan & Russell, this plan will be carried out. The cost of the building is estimated at $2,000,000.

The decision to build the skyscraper in sections is to lessen the inconvenience to the bank and its tenants.

To get possession of the 80x80 feet east of the bank building is an easy matter. This section of the skyscraper can be finished by next April. The tenants in the old First National building will then be moved over into the new building and the old building on the corner will be torn down. This second section will be 40x80 feet. This will make an enormous saving in rents and save the bank the trouble of changing its location, for it will have roomy quarters on the first floor of the first section. This way of building will also obviate in large part the fear of President Skelding and other officials that there may be too many skyscrapers next year and theirs could not be filled. The officials have called in nearly every downtown renting agent in the city for advice on this point, which has been the stumbling block in the way of an early decision.

PAY FOR GAY DINNERS WITH COSTLY LOOT

A Well-Organized Gang Robs Department Store of $20,000.

TWO YEARS' PLUNDER

Trusted Employes Operate on an Up-to-Date Clearing House System.

ALL THE PRISONERS CONFESS

Gay bachelor dinners, the champagne and game being stolen, and paid for with handsome goods stolen from a downtown department store, as were the colored attendants, proved the downfall of Edward Mallen, aged 27, of 812 George street; Samuel G. Brown, aged 22, of 1618 Fifth avenue, and J. H. Harrison, aged 38. The men were arrested by Detectives Eagan and Cole last night, and when confronted with the evidences of their crime, broke down and confessed. They had been operating with U. S. Gray, John Craft, Ida Washington and Annie Beasley, all negroes, who were arrested last Saturday at 1310 Franklin street. It is estimated that $20,000 worth of goods was stolen from the store in the past two years.

Harrison had been employed at the store for 20 years, Miller for five and Brown for two years. Brown, Harrison and Miller gave bachelor dinners at each other's houses. Gray and Craft acted as waiters. The Beasley woman was employed at a house in Second avenue, from where she would steal wine, turkeys, chickens and other delicacies for these affairs.

Operated a Clearing House.

Harrison was employed in the men's supply department as head salesman. A man, whom the detectives expect to arrest today, would make a purchase from him. Harrison would enter up the sale, and when he wrapped the package, the detectives say, he would put in other articles, and they would be sent out to the purchaser's address. Harrison also exchanged men's fine shirts and other valuable wearing apparel with Mallen, who was employed in the jewelry department, for cuff buttons, watches, brooches, scarf pins, knives and forks. Brown would exchange silk hose, underwear, pajamas, fancy handkerchiefs with the other two men for articles they stole.

Some of these articles were turned over to the negroes to sell, while Harrison, Brown and Mallen sold others to their friends at small prices. Harrison, who was in the gentlemen's furnishing department, would sell jewelry that had been stolen by Mallen. Brown would sell articles which had been stolen by Miller and Harrison. Miller disposed of a lot of stolen goods on the "easy payment plan," selling $50 articles for $10 and $15 on weekly payments of $1 and $2.

Getting Rid of the Loot.

After the negro porters were arrested last Saturday, Harrison, Brown and Mallen decided to dispose of all the stolen merchandise they had in their possession. Harrison packed up a lot of stolen underwear, neckwear and the finest assortment of gentlemen's wearing apparel and checked it at the parcel room at the Union station. Mallen packed up a lot of women's fine shirtwaists and jewelry and left them in a downtown barber shop. The men decided to "stand pat and bluff it through," if the negroes confessed. The negroes confessed, and Harrison, Brown and Mallen were watched. When Mallen was arrested the detectives went to his home and his wife informed them he had left a package at a barber shop. The stolen goods were recovered. When Harrison was taken to the station house the package check was found on him, and the stolen goods were recovered at the railroad station. At Brown's room a large quantity of stolen goods were recovered.

SHOCKS HAHN TO SEE GIRLS IN BLOOMERS

Describes Sight in Allegheny High School Gymnasium. Controllers Only Laugh.

That 15-year-old girls are allowed to wear bloomers in a gymnasium, where there are boys of like age attired only in tights, is a shocking condition, according to Adam Hahn of the Allegheny board of school controllers. In a semi-humorous address last night he described a visit to the high school gymnasium last week, when he witnessed this spectacle, and he did not hesitate to say he did not think it right.

"Modesty should be the first thing taught to a young girl," he said, "but such carryings-on as that do not teach them to be modest."

The controllers only laughed.

By a vote of 60 to 1, the controllers authorized the Seventh ward school board to notify Miss Lillian Boschert that her services will not be required after April 20.

Superintendent of Schools Morrow reported that 809 pupils wear glasses, 661 pupils have defective eyes and have received no treatment, 304 pupils have had their ears treated, 296 have impaired hearing and have not been treated. He also said there are 1,045 pupils in the schools who cannot do the required work without aid from the teacher and 41 pupils are attending the schools that should be in the home for feeble-minded children.

Miss Clara M. Muller asked the board to co-operate with the Teachers' pension fund. The matter was referred to the committee on legislation. Miss Ruby Lohmeyer was elected a teacher in the Second ward schools.

GIRL THINKS OF HER MOTHER.

Child Injured by a Street Car Does Not Want Her Parent to Worry.

NEW YORK, April 3.—(Special.)—Murmuring in delirium, "Don't let mamma worry," Mamie Sherman, five years old of Williamsburg, lies near death in the Eastern district hospital suffering from injuries received by being run down by a trolley car.

All the way to the hospital the little girl whispered to the surgeon, "Don't let mamma worry." Then on arrival at the hospital the little girl looked up at Surgeon Prescht and lisped: "Please take care of mamma, and don't let her worry about me." She cannot recover.

PARADERS CARRY RED FLAG.

Demonstration Is Held in New Haven to Arouse Sympathy for Western Union Men.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., April 3.—(Special.)—Several thousand workingmen and a few women held a demonstration tonight to arouse sympathy for, and gather "defense money" for Moyer and Pettibone in Idaho, who are accused of complicity in Gov. Steunenberg's assassination.

The demonstration consisted of a torchlight street parade with a band, and speechmaking in a large hall. The American flag and union banners, also one red flag were carried. One transparency was labeled, "In the west now, in the east next."

EXPENSIVE LOVE MAKING.

Father and Daughter Both Bring Suit in an Alleged Breach of Promise Case.

TRENTON, N. J., April 3.—(Special.)—A most unique breach of promise suit has been commenced in the supreme court by Miss Elizabeth Goodwin of Princeton, against Clarence E. Stout of Newark. Miss Godwin asks the sum of $20,000 for the injury that has been done her affections, and in addition to this her father, Benjamin Goodwin, sues for the sum of $5,000.

Mr. Goodwin based his demand for damage on the allegation that during the lovemaking of his daughter and Mr. Stout, he was deprived of the girl's service in his business, the courtship evidently having been of the all-absorbing-attention-consuming variety. Stout is quite wealthy and his property has been attached by the sheriff.

CONVERTS NEARLY HALF OF TOWN OF 300 PERSONS

One hundred and twenty-six persons have been converted in Industry, a little town of not over 300 pepole, according to the statement of the Rev. H. E. Malick, who a week ago started revival services in that place. The keynote of his services was "Industry for Christ."

Young Becker Defeats Rose.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., April 3.—Sherburn M. Becker, the young Republican candidate for mayor of Milwaukee was today elected over David S. Rose, Democrat, who has for the past eight years been the city's executive head. Unofficial figures give Becker's plurality 1,855. The indications are that Becker also carried with him the balance of the Republican city ticket.

ANTHRACITE MEN FAIL TO AGREE

No Progress in First Conference, but Peace Rumors Are Current in the East.

GOV. PENNYPACKER WRITES

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 3.—The subcommittees representing the anthracite operators and the mine workers of eastern Pennsylvania held their first joint meeting here today, and after nearly a three hours' session adjourned until 1 p. m. Thursday without coming to an agreement. Each side to the controversy has refused to make the slightest concession.

The Shamokin scale committee of the United Mine Workers, which numbers 36, held a session tonight at the Ashland house, went over the situation as it presents itself now and discussed what further action should be taken. The committee was empowered by the Shamokin convention to endeavor to make an agreement with the operators subject to the ratification of another convention to be called when the committee is ready to report. The subcommittee which had conferred with the operators made its report, after which President Mitchell read the following letter from Gov. Pennypacker of Pennsylvania.

"Executive Mansion.

"Harrisburg, March 31, 1906.

"Dear Sir:—The commonwealth of Pennsylvania expects that every reasonable effort will be made by the parties interested to accommodate the differences between coal operators and coal miners and to avert the strike which is now threatened.

"SAMUEL W. PENNYPACKER.

"To George F. Baer, Reading Terminal, Philadelphia.

"John Mitchell, Indianapolis."

The adjournment of the conference today left the whole question apparently as far from the solution as it was before. In the meantime the tieup of the anthracite industry remains as complete as it was yesterday without indication that a resumption of mining will occur very soon. Notwithstanding the fruitless session and the apparently hopeless deadlock between the workmen and their employers, rumors are still current that a way will be found to enable the operators and miners to stand on common grounds and settle their differences.

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—In the anthracite fields the situation was practically unchanged today. There was no break in the ranks of the mine workers.

In Shamokin the Enterprise colliery, owned by W. L. Connell & Co., was operated short handed by non-union men. In Scranton the Oxford colliery, a small non-union operation, and 20 washeries were worked as was the case yesterday. Aside from these plants there were no attempts in any part of the region to operate the mines.

Reports from Scranton are to the effect that the Delaware & Hudson and the Erie companies are making preparations to resume as soon as possible. A number of men have been engaged at the mines of these companies ostensibly for guard duty. In this city the Delaware & Hudson Company has opened two offices for the employment of guards and laborers in and about the mines.

Several minor disturbances occurred during the day near Wilkes-Barre. The companies of the state police again patrolled the roads in the vicinity of the collieries and reported that good order prevailed.

TO START TEST CASE.

Validity of New Senatorial Apportionment Act Will Be Tried in Dauphin County.

POTTSVILLE, PA., April 3.—(Special.)—Tomorrow the Hon. W. L. Snyder and H. O. Becktel of Pottsville will file their action in the Dauphin county courts to test the validity of the new senatorial apportionment. The final papers were finished tonight. They will inaugurate the attack by filing the nomination papers of John Goyne, Jr., of Mahonoy City for senator from the Thirtieth district, which the new act cuts off.

Joseph Carr, of Frackville, an elector of the district, will, through his attorney, R. A. Freiler of Pottsville, oppose the filing of the nomination papers. This action will be closely watched from all parts of Pennsylvania.

LICENSES ARE REFUSED.

Proprietor of One Beaver County Hotel Says He Will Close Rather Than Run "Dry" House.

BEAVER, PA., April 3.—(Special.)—Hotel Darlington, at Darlington and the Grand hotel at Beaver Falls will be "dry" this year and the probabilities are that both will be closed. Through neglect, after they had stood the fire of license court, the proprietors failed to pay the required fee within 15 days after the licenses were granted and Clerk of Courts G. M. Peirce had no alternative but to mark the licenses revoked.

DARLINGTON, PA., April 3.—(Special.)—Edward W. Cole, proprietor of the Hotel Darlington says he will close the hotel as it would not pay to run it without a license. Darlington has not been "dry" for 10 years and the hotel was the only licensed house within a radius of seven miles.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, April 3.

NEW YORK—Citta Di Torino, Naples; Cevic, Liverpool; Kronprinz Wilhelm from Bremen; Potsdam from Rotterdam.

SYDNEY, N. S. W.—Steamer Ventura, San Francisco, via Honolulu and Auckland.

LIVERPOOL—Steamers Armenian, New York; Cymric, Boston via Queenstown.

DOVER—Zealand, New York for Antwerp.

HAVRE—Steamer Hudson, New York.

MARSEILLES—Steamer Ping Suey, Tacoma via Yokohama, Hiogs, etc., for Liverpool.

GENOA—Steamer Sicilia, New York via Naaples.

BREMEN—Steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II, New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

ANTWERP—Thyrland, New York.

GIBRALTAR—Steamer Konig Albert, New York for Naaples and Genoa.

Sailed, April 3.

NEW YORK—Steamers Cretic, Naples via Azores; Georgia, Naples and Trieste; Barbarossa, Genoa and Naples; Slavonia, Naples, Trieste and Blume.

NAPLES—Arabic, Liverpool (on cruise).

LIVERPOOL—Steamer Ivernia, Boston via Queenstown.

Passed, April 3.

SIASCONSET, MASS.—Steamer Caremania, Liverpool, and Haverstown for New York, in communication by wireless telegraph, 160 miles east Nantucket lightship, 8:40 a. m. Will dock 8:30 a. m. Wednesday.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—"The Prince of India," 2 and 8 p. m.

BELASCO—Bertha Galland as "Sweet Kitty Bellairs," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

ALVIN—"Arizona," 8 p. m.

GRAND—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Rose Coghlan and company, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

GAIETY—The Bon Ton Burlesquers in burlesque and vaudeville, 2 and 8 p. m.

WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—The Dreamland burlesquers, 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—Kathryn Purnell in "Camille," 2:15 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE GARDEN—Eighth annual show of the Duquesne Kennel club of Western Pennsylvania, 9:30 a. m. to 10:30 p. m.

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WEST VIRGINIANS PLAN TO BUILD A RAILROAD

Company Is Financed Here to Construct Line from Fairmont to Mannington.

Arrangements were concluded yesterday in the office of Attorney George M. Hosack in the Park building for the organization of the Fairmont & Mannington Railroad Company with a capital stock of $1,200,000 and an authorized bond issue of $600,000. The company will acquire the property of the Mannington (W. Va.) Light and Power Company and the Mannington Traction Company, and will at once begin the construction of a railroad between Mannington and Fairmont.

The company has a charter under the general railroad act of West Virginia and is entitled to carry freight. The new road will parallel the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and pass through the coal lands of the Georges Creek Coal Company and the Fairmont Coal and Coke Company. The president of the new company is Thomas W. Fleming and the treasurer Charles E. Manley, both of Fairmont.

The contracts were let yesterday for the construction of the road, which will be 16 miles in length and will have a terminal agreement with the Fairmont & Clarksburg railroad. The Guarantee Title and Trust Company of Pittsburgh is the trustee named in the mortgage for the bonds of the company, which has been financed by Pittsburgh, Mannington and Fairmont interests.

MAYOR GETS STRANGE REQUESTS FROM WOMEN

One Wants to Find Descendants of 100 Years Ago—Another Seeks Mother.

Mayor Guthrie received a letter from a Philadelphia woman yesterday, asking him to find a descendant of a family that lived in Pittsburgh 100 years ago. The letter was from Mrs. Mary Logan Bird of 1818 Green street, Philadelphia, who asks the mayor to locate a family named Laughlin or McLaughlin, who lived in Allegheny in 1807.

She said the daughter married a man named Ford, who was in the state legislature at that time, and that her father's great-aunt had married a man named Welsh over 100 years ago, who then went to Pittsburgh or Allegheny to live.

Mayor Guthrie also received a letter from Mrs. J. McF. Hanleter of 224 Dauphin street, New Orleans, asking him to find her mother so that she could notify the mother of the death of her only son. She said she had been estranged from her mother for years. She did not give the name of either the mother or brother.

EXPLOSION WRECKS BLOCK

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the damage will amount to $25,000. In the next building, 1601-3 Fifth avenue, owned by Morris Levini, plaster was shaken down and windows broken, entailing a loss of $3,000. The other sufferers, nearly all from broken windows, were:

E. L. Corsinelli, 1609 Fifth avenue, damage $100; Alderman Heber McDowell, 1611, $200; Second Methodist Protestant church, $2,000; George F. Bender, 1612, $500; F. B. Smith, 1614, $500; H. C. Feldstein, 1615, $100; Knapp Bros., 1618, $200; Dr. Barclay, 1620, $100; Jacob Heilman, 1622, $100.

Mrs. Mink, who occupied the apartments on the second and third floors at 1607 Fifth avenue, and Mrs. Ayers, who rents the apartments on the second and third floors at 1605 Fifth avenue, noticed an odor of escaping gas since Monday morning. Mrs. Mink had three plumbers make an inspection of the pipes, but they were unable to find the leak. Both women moved in Monday.

Search Was Highly Successful.

Alice Plave and Edna Johnston, employed by Mrs. Mink, were cleaning the apartments at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Edna Johnston struck a match and tried to locate the leak along the wall in the dining-room. She walked to the corner with the lighted match and the explosion took place. The front of the apartment was blown out and a shower of stones and broken glass filled the air. The walls at the rear of the apartment were blown some 50 feet and fell in Our alley. The adjoining apartment, occupied by Mrs. Ayers, was also wrecked. Her furniture was broken and twisted by the force of the explosion.

Mrs. Ayers and Mrs. Delperio were standing in the dining room next door and were blown into the hallway. Both were bruised and almost suffocated by the hot air which filled the atmosphere after the explosion. August Shultz, who was working in a vacant store under Mrs. Mink's apartment, was picked up by the force of the explosion and hurled into the center of Fifth avenue.

Saved By Former Councilman.

Edna Johnston became frantic after the explosion, ran to the front of the apartment and was about to jump into the street when Former Councilman Christopher Beckert of the Fourteenth ward waved to her to remain where she was. He climbed up the wrecked stairway in the rear and carried the woman to the street. Mrs. Mink was hurled across the room and landed on the edge of the second floor and would have fallen into the back yard had not her dress caught on some of the debris on the floor. The Plave girl worked her way to the street.

Fifth avenue was crowded at the time of the explosion as it usually is in the afternoon. The air was filled with flying stones, bricks and glass and many in the street were injured. Men, women and children ran in all directions. A patrol wagon was sent to the scene and the injured were taken to the Mercy hospital.

A still alarm was sent to No. 14 engine company in Fifth avenue and it hurried to the scene of the wreck. The building had caught fire and the flames were soon extinguished.

Superintendent S. A. Dies of the bureau of building inspection tried to find where the gas leak had been. The gas had been shut off in the stores on the first floor and Mrs. Mink and Mrs. Ayers had tested all the gas jets in their rooms and found them tight fitting.

PITTSBURGHERS TO WORK IN KANSAS OIL FIELD

Articles of incorporation were filed at Dover, Del., yesterday for the Wichita Natural Gas Company of Pittsburgh, the object of which is to acquire by lease or otherwise, gas and oil wells, and to work and operate the same. The incorporators are Theodore M. Barnsdall, Armsted B. Baxter, Eugene F. Whitcomb, George R. Brink and John T. Furlong, all of Pittsburgh; Albert P. McBride, Independence, Kan., and Harry W. Davis, Wilmington, Del. The capital stock is $3,000,000.

The Prince of India.

The seat sale for the second week of Klaw & Erlanger's success, "The Prince of India," will open tomorrow at the Nixon box office. The attraction is securing attention from lovers of spectacular religious drama.

The West Penn Railways Company is rapidly completing its new line between Youngwood and Mt. Pleasant. This will not only give through service to Greensburg via Hecla, but will open up a large amount of new territory that is quite populous, and in consequence will, of course, increase the revenue in this division very materially.

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THE INDEPENDENTS ORGANIZE

THE LOCAL SITUATION.

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other information than his and the men did not work yesterday as a result.

Another charge made against Dolan yesterday by the faction opposing him was that he arranged with the secretary of local 1339, Frank Feehan's local, to hold back the dues for three months in order to place the local and Feehan's candidacy for the presidency in bad standing, and held back the teller's report until April 1 to complete the necessary three months to effect this. Dolan claims he doesn't know who is secretary of the local, and denies the charge. He further claims that the arrears in dues of the local not only removes Feehan as a candidate to succeed him, but makes Feehan a non-union miner, and one who could not act on the scale committee which signed with the operators, Feehan being a member of that committee.

McKay Claims the Presidency.

Meanwhile, Edward McKay, who opposed Feehan for the presidency in the special election, is also claiming the presidency on the ground that Feehan is in bad standing in the district organization. Dolan, Feehan and McKay each have a large following, although Dolan has been losing much ground, and the three-cornered fight is taking a serious aspect.

Yesterday morning's session of the prolonged annual district convention was the stormiest in the history of that strenuous body. Dolan carried out his plan to take charge of the meeting as far as he physically could. He entered the hall shortly before 10 o'clock and found Delegate Joseph Baur holding down the chairman's seat. Dolan managed to gain possession of the chair and whipped out a gavel he had brought with him. When the delegates arrived they ordered him out of the hall, but he pounded for order vigorously.

"I'm president," shouted Dolan.

Steven Wetzel Made Chairman.

"You're nothing," cried a delegate, and then some one placed Steven Wetzel in nomination for temporary chairman. A chorus of ayes followed, and Wetzel took a chair at the other end of the hall, and all the delegates turned and faced him.

Dolan pounded his gavel wildly for recognition, and some one took a bench away from in front of him, and he was compelled to use the arm of his chair for an anvil. Meanwhile some one tore a chair apart and Wetzel used a rung for a gavel.

Disorder became general, and the wildest confusion reigned when a delegate moved that Dolan be expelled from the organization and ejected from the convention hall. Dolan smoked his pipe and playfully swung his gavel. A committee was appointed to go out in search of a policeman, but no officer was found willing to enter the conflict. As a climax, Chairman Wetzel appointed 10 sergeant-at-arms to escort Dolan from the room. Just as this was about to be done ex-Judge E. H. Stowe, counsel for Dolan, entered the hall.

Dolan Leaves, Swearing Vengeance.

Delegates Joseph Wolcott, Michael Dugan and Richard Williams, of the sergeant-at-arms forces, pulled Dolan down from the rostrum, when the latter announced that he would peacefully leave the hall. Ex-Judge Stowe, Dolan's attorney, was also asked to leave the hall, as were the newspapermen. Dolan left, swearing vengeance and claiming the court injunction gained by him had been violated.

The convention went into secret session until 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon. At that time it was announced the afternoon had been spent in trying to straighten out a wrangle between 27 locals, against whom charges had been filed that the election held within their bounds were illegal because of non-payment of dues and for other irregularities. It was said the teller's report would likely be made today, when the regularly elected officers would take their seats.

At a lively meeting of mine workers local at Carnegie in Concordia hall last evening, attended by nearly 500 miners employed at the Mansfield Coal and Coke Company No. 2 mine, a warm discussion was indulged in over complaints made by drivers that the eight-hour-day agreement is being violated. It was charged that some men worked 16 hours at times, preventing the employment of another shift. A resolution was adopted binding the miners to observe the eight-hour day.

WOULD JOIN PRESBYTERIES.

Pittsburgh Body of Presbyterian Church Votes to Consolidate With the Allegheny Organization.

After animated discussion during the morning session, and much debate during the afternoon, Pittsburgh presbytery of the Presbyterian church, in session in the chapel of the First church, voted in favor of a consolidation of Pittsburgh and Allegheny presbyteries by a vote of 63 to 48. Allegheny presbytery and Pennsylvania synod will have to affirm this action before consolidation can be perfected. The resolution favoring the step was introduced by the Rev. Dr. W. L. McEwan of the Third church.

Election of delegates to the general assembly to be held in Des Moines, Ia., May 16 to 24, resulted as follows:

Principals, the Revs. Dr. W. L. McEwan, J. W. Miller, U. S. Graves, Dr. A. D. Carlile, Dr. S. E. Young; alternates, the Revs. H. O. Ewing, Herbert Hezlep, Dr. S. A. Hunter; elders, J. R. Orr, J. E. Potter, Kennedy Crumrine, J. D. Cherry and R. M. Taylor; alternates, W. K. Armstrong, John Forbes, P. H. Hedrick, A. D. Sterrit and F. O. Thompson. The old board of trustees was re-elected.

The following appropriations were approved: Apple avenue, $257; Arlington avenue, $1,156; Blackadore avenue, $228 80; Beadling, $260; Castle Shannon, $200; Charleroi French mission, $120; Calvary, Wilkinsburg, $1,500; Clairton, $200; Donora, $260; Griveton, $150; Lincoln Place, $478 80; Mt. Pisgah, $150; Morningside, $1,500; McCandless avenue, $260; North Branch, $260; Rennerdale, $260; Smith station, $150; Italian church, $920 46; McKinley Park, $260; West Elizabeth, $290; Rev. V. Loea, $1,500; Rev. V. Cegnar, $1,500; Rev. Thomas Fragale, $1,500; Rev. J. E. Charles, $1,000; John Brooks, $120.

TEACHER USES "BIG STICK."

Men's Club at Fourth Avenue Baptist Church Hold Spelling Bee.

The old-fashioned spelling bee given by the men's club of the Fourth Avenue Baptist church last evening was characterized by both fun and originality. The most striking feature was the "big stick" of the "teacher," W. S. Foringer. This mammoth badge of the teacher's office was fully six feet long and three inches thick, "and he used it to" said the pastor of the church, the Rev. W. G. Partridge. The captains were Dr. W. E. Askin and W. H. Womsley. R. E. Mercer, a pupil in the Fifth Avenue High school, took first honor, with J. B. Brittain, auditor in the Pennsylvania railroad offices, a close second.

After the bee the members of the club partook of refreshments of which black coffee prepared by W. T. Spear, assistant manager at Horne's store, was the "strongest" feature.

Big Influx of Emigrants.

Two special trains bearing about 1,200 emigrants from Scandinavia and central Europe reached the Baltimore & Ohio station yesterday morning. About 200 of them had Pittsburgh as their destination and 600 others were ticketed to near-by points. The others were bound for points farther west. They all wore vari-colored tags to indicate their destination, and at the station were divided into groups according to colors. A large and noisy crowd of friends was at the station to welcome those ticketed for this city.

All Is Well With the Dewey.

MALTA, April 3.—(Special.)—A message received by wireless from the dry dock Dewey, which was sixty miles northwest of Malta, maintaining a speed of more than 105 miles daily. During the entire run from Gibraltar the weather has been fine and all is going smoothly.

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IN ADJOINING FIELDS.

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America and not a pick is being swung in the district. A committee was appointed to ask the miners if they are getting the 1906 scale. If not they are to be asked to quit.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Nearly 300 Illinois coal operators were at the meeting of their organization here today. It was decided to stand firm in resisting the demands of the miners. The Chicago & Carbondale Coal Company of De Soto, Ill., was expelled from membership because it has signed the scale demanded by the miners.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., April 3.—At the conference of operators and miners of the Seventeenth district President John Nugent demanded on behalf of the miners the restoration of the scale of 1903, and reduction of working time from nine to eight hours, also a differential in the scale of pick and machine mining. J. H. Winder of Columbus, O., general manager of the Sunday Creek Company, the largest operators in the Kanawha field, refused the demand and the conference adjourned until tomorrow.

In Pennsylvania Fields.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., April 3.—No serious trouble occurred today at any of the 11 large operations of the Berwind-White Coal Company in Windber. The miners went to work this morning, escorted by deputies and coal and iron police armed with Winchesters. No one attempted to interfere with them. Some of the new union men today refused to accede to Organizer Joseph Ginter's requests to stay out of the mines, declaring that he has no authority to order a strike.

GROVE CITY, PA., April 3.—Every mine in the Mercer-Butler county district except the Turner mines, which have granted the scale, is shut down. A conference between the operators and miners will be held here next Friday. The operators are divided over the question of granting the increase. About 2,000 men are employed in the district.

IRWIN, PA., April 3.—About 400 of the striking miners at the Edna mines, and 100 from Penn station, marched to Irwin this morning to attend the mass meeting at the opera house. There was disappointment at the non-appearance of Vice President Lewis. The meeting was in charge of National Organizer Harry O'Neil and Joseph Sharp of Iowa, of the national executive committee. The men were told to remain firm.

A delegate convention was held this afternoon with representatives present from 37 mines to fix a scale. The one adopted is pick mining five cents more than the scale of 1903. For machine mining and loading the scale fixed today calls for a 10 per cent advance over 1903, and an eight-hour day.

There was no attempt today to start Edna No. 1 and No. 2, the tie-up being complete.

The Penn Gas Coal Company today announced that the strike at Yough shaft has been broken. Over 300 men went to work this morning.

CHURCH DEBATERS WAX WARM AND ARE SARCASTIC

Debate on Greater Pittsburgh in Allegheny Men's Club Ends in a Warfare of Words.

A warfare of words, sarcastic and bitter and bordering on the personal was waged in the North Avenue Methodist Episcopal church, Allegheny, last night. It was during a debate on "Resolved, That the present conditions are such that we should have a Greater Pittsburgh." The debaters were George L. Cruikshank and Harvey Henderson, the former having the affirmative and the latter the negative. Each was allowed two assistants of his own choice.

The debate started out very tamely, with A. D. Sharpe presiding. Both speakers presented their arguments and the assistants were allowed a few minutes in which to air their views. Then the general discussion began, and as the speakers waxed warmer, the remarks became more sensational. One said that Pittsburgh should have the right to annex Allegheny because, with the corrupt ring in the city hall of the North Side against it, a vote would result in its stealing the election, as it did last fall. Another said he knew of instances where the ring had been able by the use of $1, and even so little as a drink of whiskey, to get the votes of men. A speaker on the other side retaliated by saying that all Pittsburgh wanted with Allegheny was to further the interests of the political gang in charge there and to help it to remove the hump and pay off the $6,000,000 debt.

This line of argument was carried on until the chairman ended it by requesting a vote. After some argument as to whether the vote should be on the merits of the debaters or on the question, the chairman finally decided that it be on its merits, and the affirmative won by a vote of 30 to 23.

LITTLE GIRL DROWNS.

When She Falls from Barge Her Companions Risk Their Lives Trying to Rescue Her.

Annie Houlihan, aged 7, of 2524 Mulberry alley, fell from a barge on which she was playing and was drowned in the Allegheny river, at the foot of Twenty-sixth street, at 6 o'clock last evening. The child's sisters, Veronia, aged 13, and Alice, aged 8, who were playing with her, rushed into the water to save the drowning child.

They were too badly frightened, however, to render any assistance, and came so near being drowned themselves, that medical attention was necessary to restore them to consciousness. Dennis Martin of 2517 Mulberry alley, rescued the body of the drowned child.

COMMIT HORRIBLE MURDER.

Enemies of Engineer Shoot Him and Leave Mutilated Body Lying in Lonely Road Side.

WILKES-BARRE, PA., April 3.—(Special.)—Charles Gallagher, a stationary engineer in the employ of the Central railroad of New Jersey, was murdered today on a lonely road at Sugar Notch, a mining town near here. He was shot through the head and the upper portion of his body was battered with clubs and stones.

An attempt was also made to incinerate the body. It is said the murdered man had incurred the enmity of foreigners residing in the vicinity of the murder.

SUSPECTS ARE HUNTING FOR LOST COLLAR BUTTON

Acting upon telephonic advices from William Walton of Woodland avenue, Bellevue, last night, that two strangers were loitering about his house, a number of the borough police responded, and sighting two suspects, was about to pounce upon them when he discovered them to be two prominent residents of the borough. One had lost a gold collar button, and after an hour's search, found it in his shoe as the officer approached.

Green Now Has the Smallpox.

Among the cases reported to the Pittsburgh bureau of health yesterday was one of smallpox. The patient is William R. Green, a colored man who came here about a month ago from Hot Springs, Ark. Mrs. Green developed smallpox and was removed to the hospital, with her husband, on March 22. Green was vaccinated there, but he developed the disease yesterday. Other cases reported to the bureau embrace 32 cases of typhoid, four of scarlet fever, two of pneumonia, seven of measles, five of whooping cough and one of smallpox.

May Be Campbell's Body.

BUTLER, PA., April 3.—(Special.)—Friends of Fowler Campbell, the justice of the peace and assessor of Fairview township, who has been missing since last November, believe the body found floating in the Allegheny river at East Brady is that of Campbell. He was last seen alive on the bridge over the Allegheny at Foxburg. The description of the body and clothes found coincide with his. Campbell's sons have gone to East Brady to view the body.

ASK FOR INJUNCTION AGAINST ICE HANDLERS

Ice Companies Urge Hardship on Hospitals and the Sick in Asking Restraint.

That the strike of the icemen in this city is assuming a serious aspect, and that an ice famine is a possibility, was evidenced yesterday when Attorneys J. Scott Ferguson and W. S. Dalzell, representing the Consolidated, Pittsburgh, Citizens and Union Ice companies, appeared before Judge Shafer in common pleas court No. 2 and filed a bill to restrain the strikers from interfering with the business of the companies. The defendants named in the bill are T. J. Minahan, national organizer; Frank W. Poulison, president; J. G. Lynch, secretary; John Weitzel, chairman of the scale committee, and 30 others, members of Local union No. 414 of Teamsters.

The legal allegation made is that the drivers are by intimidation and coercion endeavoring to interfere with the business of the ice companies. The attorneys in their arguments touched especially on the hardship to the hospitals and the sick, which inability to deliver ice would cause. Judge Shafer issued a preliminary injunction and made an order for the defendants and plaintiffs to appear before him Friday afternoon for a hearing as to the granting of a permanent injunction.

The Ice Dealers' league refuses to acknowledge that it has suffered as yet. The point is made that it was only as a precautionary measure that it took action against the strikers. The larger hotels and hospitals bear out this statement and say that the service has been excellent. But it is among the smaller consumers that the strike is beginning to be felt.

The Penn Ice Company of Wilkinsburg is worked on the co-operative system, and consequently has experienced no trouble. Instead of three wagons out of 11, which was all they were reported to have been able to man Monday, they had eight wagons, or all they ever run on the streets.

GUTHRIE WOULD REDUCE COST OF FILTER PLANT

After a Long Conference of Officials, Contractor Gillespie Agrees to Changes.

Mayor Guthrie tackled the first big job of his official career yesterday by starting to investigate the cost of the big plant which is one-third finished, at Aspinwall, upon plans and estimates prepared by former Director Bigelow.

The estimates made by Director Bigelow reached $6,000,000 for the filtration plant alone, but it is said Mayor Guthrie hopes to make an immense saving in these estimates sufficient at least to provide for the elaborate extension of water lines, for which Mr. Bigelow recommended an extra bond issue of over $1,000,000 to councils a month ago.

The filtration investigation was begun yesterday afternoon at a conference in the mayor's office, attended by Mayor Guthrie, Director Clark, Superintendent Morris Knowles of the filtration bureau, and Superintendent A. B. Shepherd of the water supply bureau, City Solicitor W. B. Rodgers, Contractor T. A. Gillespie of the company building the filtration plant, and Attorney J. H. Beal, representing the Gillespie company.

The conference lasted more than an hour and will be continued today. Mr. Gillespie announced after the conference: "Some changes have been agreed upon." Attorney Beal said the Gillespie firm and the administration had reached an understanding whereby the two would work in harmony together.

MUSTANGS' WILD FLIGHT IN EAST END DISASTROUS

Severe Injuries for Two Men and One of the Animals Drops Dead.

A pair of spirited mustangs sent one man to his bed and another to a cot in the surgical department of a hospital last night. Thomas F. McCarrick of 616 Dallas avenue, recently purchased a pair of fine mustangs. He hitched them up last night and when passing the corner of Roquet and Forbes streets, saw his friend Albert Boon, of 812 Copeland street. Pulling up the team, he invited Boon to accompany him. At Fifth and Amberson avenues the animals took fright. McCarrick tried to pass the reins to Boon when both men were thrown out of the runabout.

The mustangs ran for some distance when one of them suddenly dropped dead. McCarrick was taken to his home in a patrol wagon with a badly sprained thigh, while his companion, Boon, was taken to the police station where a compound fractured ankle was dressed by Dr. McClelland. Later the Homeopathic ambulance took Boon to the hospital.

STATE DENTISTS GATHER.

Large Attendance at First Meeting and Officers Are Elected for the Year.

The opening session of the Twenty-first annual meeting of the Odontological Society of Western Pennsylvania was held yesterday at the Hotel Annex. The attendance was the largest in the history of the organization. Many interesting papers by prominent members of the profession were read. This morning will be devoted to clinics and reports of the same and more papers will be offered.

At the election of officers for the ensuing year the following named persons were elected: Dr. W. H. Haines, president; Dr. W. H. Harrison, Wheeling, vice president; Dr. B. M. Loar, Mt. Pleasant, secretary, and Dr. J. A. Libbey, Pittsburgh, treasurer. The board of censors includes Dr. O. L. Hertig, Dr. H. H. Harrison, Dr. H. F. Koontz. The new president will announce the executive committee today.

Oil Man Expires Suddenly.

CORRY, PA., April 3.—(Special.)—W. T. Faulkner of the oil firm of Faulkner & Scofield of Warren, Pa., died in a room in the St. James hotel here late tonight. He arrived in this city last night from Warren. He registered at the hotel and sent for a doctor. He weakened rapidly. Death was due to acute alcoholism. He was 40 years of age and wealthy. His spending money was said to be $100 a week.

Government Sends State Large Check.

HARRISBURG, April 3.—Gov. Pennypacker today received from the federal government a check for $226,762 65 in payment for interest on war claims for the war of 1812. Since 1889 the state has received from the government a total of $2,210,509 in payment of claims for the war of 1812 and the civil and Spanish wars.

Col. Guffey Gives $5,000.

FAIRMONT, W. VA., April 3.—(Special.)—At midnight last night the Y. M. C. A. building fund contest closed and the total amount raised was $64,745. The campaign committees appointed late in February started out to raise $60,000. Steps will be taken at once toward erecting a modern building. J. M. Guffey of Pittsburg contributed $5,000 to the fund.

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Gov. Pennypacker and Guard Officers Discuss Strike Situation in Hard Coal Region.

TROOPS MAY BE CALLED OUT

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
HARRISBURG, PA., April 3.

Gov. Pennypacker tonight appointed Gen. J. P. S. Gobin of Lebanon major general of the National Guard of Pennsylvania in place of Gen. Charles Miller of Franklin, who has resigned owing to pressure of private business. General orders announcing the appointment of Gobin and appointing him to command of the division were issued from guard headquarters. An order was also issued announcing the resignation of Miller, relieving him from active service and placing him on the retired list.

This change in the guard was announced after a long conference between the governor, Gen. Gobin, Gen. John W. Schall of Norristown, commander of the first brigade, and Gen. John A. Wiley of Franklin, commander of the second brigade, in the governor's private office this afternoon.

The strike situation in the anthracite region was also discussed at today's conference between the governor and the general officers of the guard. The relations of the state police force to the guard was also considered. It was decided that the police force being a civil body there would be no conflict of authority between these two organizations if they were ordered on duty in the strike regions.

The following members of Gen. Miller's staff retire with him: Lieutenant Colonels William J. Elliott, Philadelphia, assistant adjutant general; John P. Penney, Pittsburgh, division inspector; Louis A. Watres, Scranton, judge advocate; William F. Richardson, Harrisburg, quartermaster; Austin Curtain, Roland, commissary of subsistence; Andrew S. Stayer, Altoona, surgeon in chief; Lewis E. Beitler, ordnance officer; E. V. D. Selden, Oil City, inspector of rifle practice; Majors C. J. S. Miller, Franklin; S. G. Foster, Franklin, and Frank Dietrick, Wilkes-Barre, aides.

TO KEEP OUT YELLOW JACK.

National Quarantine Bill Passes the House By a Large Majority of Votes.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—By a vote of 202 to 26, the house today passed the national quarantine bill. The bill places the control of all quarantine stations, grounds and anchorages under the secretary of the treasury and directs that he shall establish them on or near the seacoast of the United States or on the Mexican border.

The bill also provides regulations for common carriers engaged in interstate commerce in conveying passengers, freight and baggage discharged from quarantine stations.

INSTALLS A PASTOR.

Westmoreland Presbytery Meets in First U. P. Church, McKeesport.

The Westmoreland Presbytery met in the First United Presbyterian church, McKeesport, last night, and installed the new pastor, the Rev. McElwee Ross.

The Presbytery received the Rev. M. S. Bane of New Sheffield as pastor of the Laurel Hill congregation, and the Rev. J. B. Pollock of Boston accepted a call to the New Alexandria congregation. At his request the Rev. I. T. Wright was released as pastor of the Jeannete congregation.

CANDIDATES SEND IN THEIR CAMPAIGN FEES

GREENSBURG, PA., April 3.—(Special.)—County Chairman Harry F. Seanor today made official announcement of the Republican primary election on Saturday, June 2. The candidates who have paid their announcement fees are: For congress, George F. Huff; prothonotary, W. J. Potts, Harry N. Yont and John B. Miller; district attorney, John F. Wentling, Jr., Nevin A. Cort and William T. Dom, Jr.; clerk of courts, John M. Hawk; general assembly, district No. 1, R. W. Fair.

Two Die in Collision.

HARRISBURG, April 3.—James Hollahan, conductor, was killed and William Biggs, brakeman, seriously injured in a collision between two freight trains on the Pennsylvania railroad at Rockville this afternoon. The men live in Harrisburg.

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MISS HARDING IS ALMOST KILLED

Well-Known Club Woman Is Struck and Severely Injured by Automobile.

LIMBS BROKEN AND SIDE HURT

Miss Julia Morgan Harding was knocked down and seriously injured by an automobile yesterday afternoon. She was walking home from a morning lecture when she was run down by a run-about driven by Miss Alice Garland of Baum and Graham streets, East End. The accident was seen by Mrs. William D. Grimes, who was just about to call out to Miss Harding, when she saw the automobile strike her. Mrs. Grimes recognized the occupants of the car which passed on without stopping. With the assistance of two men who were passing Mrs. Grimes was able to have Miss Harding taken into her house, the accident having occurred almost in front of it. Miss Harding suffered excruciating pain but retained her consciousness until within the house when she fainted.

Miss Harding's left side was badly injured and bruised. One limb was broken at the ankle and her left arm was crushed and broken, and at first it was thought that two ribs were also broken. The two physicians who attended her expressed surprise that Miss Harding had escaped death, since the heavy wheels of the automobile had crushed so near

Miss Julia Harding.

a vital point. Her clothing was torn in shreds, her thick velvet coat being ripped lengthwise. The broken and injured parts immediately began swelling, and her clothing had to be cut from her, while several very handsome rings which she wore were with difficulty removed from her hand.

C. B Deshon, manager of the Hotel Kenmawr, where Miss Harding makes her home with her mother, arrived shortly after the accident, having been telephoned for by Mrs. Grimes, and it was decided to remove the patient to the Kenmawr. An ambulance was sent for, and accompanied by Mr. Deshon and the two physicians Miss Harding was taken to her rooms. While at Mrs. Grimes,' Miss Harding's greatest anxiety was as to the effect the news of her accident would have on her mother, who is very feeble.

While Mrs. Grimes was caring for Miss Harding, Miss Garland, who was thoroughly frightened by the accident, drove to her home at once and told her father, John W. Garland. He reported the accident to the police at the Frankstown station and learning who the victim was, called immediately to inquire for Miss Harding who had by that time been removed to the Kenmawr.

In speaking of the accident last evening Mrs. Grimes said: "I was walking in Walnut street with my little son when I saw Miss Harding pass our house at the corner of South Negley and Walnut street. I hurried into the house intending to call to her from the front door, but when I reached the door she had just started to cross South Negley avenue. It was then that I saw the automobile coming, but before I could speak the accident had occurred, Miss Harding was lying alone in the street and the car had passed on. I rushed out to help her and thought at first that she was dead."

Miss Harding is one of the best-known women in Pittsburgh. She is the daughter of Mrs. Lavinia Morgan Harding, and is a member of one of the oldest of Pittsburgh families and connected with many others. She was the founder of the Twentieth Century club of which she is president, and is a vice regent of the Pittsburgh chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, a member of the Western Pennsylvania branch of the Colonial Dames and a well-known lecturer on current topics. She was recently elected to the faculty of the women's department of the Carnegie Technical schools, lecturing on "Current Events." She has been the lecturer of American history in the Thurston preparatory school for several years and this winter is giving several courses of lectures before the Woman's club of Sewickley, the Twentieth Century club, the Woman's club of Edgewood and several other organizations. Miss Harding is also the club editor of the Post.

Famous Comedy at Belasco.

It is seldom, indeed, that so well-balanced a cast for a laughter play is presented as that which will be seen at the Belasco with Leo Ditrichstein's "Before and After," the play that has made all New York roar with laughter at Mrs. Fiske's Manhattan theater in the metropolis. This play has among the members of the cast such well-known mirth provokers as Mr. Ditrichstein himself, Fritz Williams, George C. Boniface, Jr., George Lawrence, Katherine Florence and Kenyon Bishop.

Veterans Thank Commissioners.

Yesterday the officers of the Allegheny county Grand Army association sent to the county commissioner copies of a resolution adopted at the last meeting of the association thanking the commissioners for the consideration shown survivors of the war of the rebellion in appointments to office recently made by them.

Daghestan Rugs.

The rugs woven in Daghestan, a district in Russia on the Caspian sea, north of the city of Baku, are inexpensive but excellent.

Both warp and woof, as well as pile, are of wool, and while the number of knots to the inch does not average high, the workmanship is such that the rugs possess unusual durability.

The designs of Dakhestan rugs are geometrical to a degree, stars, squares, hexagons, tile and trellis effects—as well as birds and animals in straight-line drawing—which, as interpretations are crude to a degree, but are beautifully conventionalized and exquisitely balanced and expressed with much artistic feeling.

Soft reds, blues, greens, yellows and creams are the colors that predominate.

Both top and bottom fringes are from four to seven inches long, and in most of the older examples have four or more rows of knots.

Only a narrow width of web is exposed at top and bottom, and across the bottom web are often to be found three rows of stitching to prevent raveling.

A large proportion of the oriental rugs—formerly called Turkey rugs—brought to this country in the eighteenth century were Caucasians, and of these Caucasians a large proportion were Daghestans.

In the rug department of Boggs & Buhl is to be found a large assortment of fine Daghestan rugs—unusual opportunity to select special pieces at merchandise prices—rugs of unusual design and striking character.

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ENTERPRISE FAILURE IS TOLD OF UNDER OATH

G. R. Ralston, Clerk in Bank, Held for Court on Charge of Making False Entries.

George R. Ralston, who was a clerk in the Enterprise National bank, went into a hearing yesterday of the charge of aiding and abetting the late T. Lee Clark, cashier of the bank, in misapplying funds. Ralston was held for court by United States Commissioner Lindsay in $5,000 bail. He pleaded not guilty. Bank Examiner E. P. Moxey, who has been ill, was present.

The hearing was conducted by United States Attorney Dunkle. There are 15 charges in the information against Ralston, alleging false entries in the books of the bank from June 29, 1903, to October, 1905, these entries aggregating $428,847. The entries range from $10,000 to $100,000 each, and the banks whose accounts have been alleged to have been altered are the Bank of Pittsburgh, N. A.; the Merchants and Manufacturers bank of Pittsburgh, the Park bank and the Hanover National bank of New York and the Euclid Park bank of Cleveland.

C. H. Sauers, the clearing house clerk of the bank, identified several entries alleged to be false as being in Ralston's handwriting. Bank Examiner John B. Cunningham identified a paper, which, he said, was written by Ralston and which gave the amounts of false entries, "shortages," as Cunningham said Ralston described them.

Bank Examiner Moxey testified that several amounts represented to have been deposited in the bank were not so deposited. Mr. Cunningham identified as given him by Ralston a paper which purported to show the aggregate amount of several false entries. Moxey said Ralston had told him the figures showed the "shortage" which he was carrying on the Enterprise bank's books. The paper alleged to have been given by Ralston to Cunningham was shown to Witness Sauers and he identified it as being in Ralston's handwriting.

CAN IS VALUABLE.

Family Starts Litigation Over Disappearance of $2,000 Kept in Strange Receptacle.

WELLESVILLE, PA., April 3.—(Special.)—What has become of a can containing $1,700 in gold coin, two notes for $260 and for $500, one gold certificate for $500 and $200 in other coin is a mystery to Mrs. Sarah T. Cope and her son, Harvey D. Cope. Because of this mystery Judge Warren W. Hole has issued a citation commanding William E. Stookesberry and his wife, Marie E. Stookesberry, to appear in court April 17.

Mrs. Stookesberry is the daughter of Mrs. Cope. The mother and son believe the daughter knows something of the missing wealth and the court has been asked to aid in locating the treasure.

Bold Assault on a Letter Carrier.

A Homestead car on the Monongahela division was the scene late Monday night of what is believed to have been a bold attempt to rob C. J. Muss, a letter carrier attached to the Oakland sub-station. Muss was on the rear platform, the conductor being inside, when an unknown man, aware, possibly, that the carrier had in his possession valuable letters, suddenly caught him by the throat and, while holding him, rapidly searched his pockets. The motorman and conductor, hearing the scuffle, rushed to the rear of the car and the thief fled without securing any booty.

Italian Runs Over Old Man.

Riding at a high rate of speed on his bicycle, Samuel Fair, an Italian, knocked down and ran over Thomas Leslie, aged 76. Fair was committed to jail by Justice Stewart of Cheswick on a charge of assault through negligence. Leslie's skull is fractured and he may die.

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NOTED LEADER TALKS ON THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Marion Lawrence of Toledo, O., general secretary of the internation Sabbath School union, was the guest of honor and the principal speaker at the third annual dinner of the Allegheny County Bible School Superintendents' association last night at the Union club. The attendance was the largest in the history of the association, covers being laid for 250. Mr. Lawrence spoke on "How to Conduct a Sunday School." He outlined the manner in which his school in Toledo, which is known the country over as one of the most successful, is conducted and gave many suggestions as to how to increase the efficiency of the work. D. W. Wylie, president of the association, acted as toastmaster, and, in addition to Mr. Lawrence, called upon J. W. Kinnear, president of the Allegheny County Sabbath School association; W. S. Power, vice president of the Superintendents' association; the Rev. George W. Mead, H. J. Heinz, Miss Alice B. Hamlin, field secretary of the county association, and E. H. Hassler, president of the Mercer county association, who gave short addresses. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, the Rev. D. L. Ferris; vice president, the Rev. O. B. Phillips; secretary, Frank East; treasurer, E. S. McClelland.

During the evening announcement was made of the seventeenth annual convention of the Allegheny County Sabbath School association, which will be held May 3 and 4 in the First Presbyterian church, Sixth avenue.

At the Second Presbyterian church, Eighth street, yesterday afternoon, Mr. Lawrence addressed a large audience of Sunday school workers. He spoke with particular reference to the efficacy of the home department and gave numerous instances of what can be accomplished by personal invitation and persistence in seeking new members.

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Cleveland & Youngstown Ex.	* 8:15 am	* 9:00 pm
Buffalo Limited.....	* 9:00 am	* 3:00 pm
Cleveland, Toledo & Detroit.	*12:35 pm	* 8:35 pm
Cleveland and Chautauqua....	* 2:00 am	*12:15 pm
Buffalo & Eastern Express..	12:35 pm	† 6:55 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line..	*12:35 pm	* 6:55 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express.....	* 5:00 pm	*10:00 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex....	* 2:30 pm	*12:15 pm
Boston Special.....	* 5:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Cleveland & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6:15 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited.....	* 6:15 pm	* 6:35 am
Buffalo Express.....	*10:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Cleveland Night Express....	*11:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Youngstown Local.....	† 5:30 am	† 9:00 am
Beaver Falls Local.....	† 6:45 am	† 5:25 am
Beaver Falls Local.....	† 1:10 pm	† 9:00 am
Cleveland Local.....	† 4:15 pm	†12:10 pm
New Castle Local.....	†11:55 am	† 4:15 pm
New Castle Express.....	* 4:20 pm	†7:20 pm
New Castle Express.....	† 9:30 am	† 1:10 pm
Beaver Falls Express.....	† 5:25 pm	† 8:20 am
Beaver Valley Local.....	† 9:00 pm	† 6:45 am
Brownsville Local.....	* 6:10 am	* 7:00 am
Brownsville & N. Haw. Ex..	* 8:00 am	* 8:40 am
McKeesport & Brownsville...	†11:30 am	†11:40 am
Brownsville & New Haven..	* 3:50 pm	* 4:50 pm
Brownsville Express.....	* 5:30 pm	* 6:05 pm
Brownsville Express.....	†10:30 pm	† 1:50 pm

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CLEVELAND *8.15 am *6.40 am *7.30 am *8 am 41 pm *1.30 pm *5 pm *11 pm.

INDIANAPOLIS *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *6 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

CINCINNATI *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

LOUISVILLE *4.50 am *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

COLUMBUS *1.30 am *4.50 am *8 am *12.30 pm *5 pm *8.15 pm *8.45 pm.

TOLEDO AND DETROIT *11.50 am *8.50 pm.

ERIE *7.35 am *4.30 pm 26.10 pm.

JAMESTOWN *6.30 am *7.35 am 113 pm *4.30 pm 26.10 pm.

NEW CASTLE *6.30 am *7.30 am *7.35 am *8.40 am 112 pm *1.30 pm *4.30 pm *6.30 pm *10.35 pm 26.10 pm.

ASHTABULA *6.30 am *4.30 pm.

YOUNGSTOWN *7.30 am *6.30 am *1.30 pm *4.30 pm.

AKRON *8.15 am 6.40 am *7.30 am *8 am *5 pm *11 pm.

BARBERTON *6.40 am *7.30 am *8 am.

WHEELING *8.50 am *8.30 am 11.40 am 46.35 pm *7 pm.

MERCER and OIL CITY *7.35 am *4.30 pm.

BELLAIRE *6.40 am *8.05 am *1 pm *5.05 pm *7.35 am 25.10 pm.

ALLIANCE *4.40 am *8 am *7.35 pm *4.05 pm *5 pm.

WASHINGTON, PA., *6 am *9 am 19.45 am *1.30 pm 18 pm *4.30 pm *5.05 pm *6.15 pm *10.30 pm *7.40 pm *6.15 pm *9.30 pm.

STEUBENVILLE (Pan-Handle Route) *5.40 am *9.25 am *2.30 pm *4.30 pm *11 pm *11.30 am (C. & P. Div.) *6.40 am *8.05 am *1 pm *4.05 pm *6.02 pm *7.55 am *6.10 pm.

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Wednesday, April 4, 1906. *Weather—FAIR.* Penn Avenue and Fifth Street.

Easter Dress in All Its Beauty

Dress is here used as the collective noun for the various garments and the various styles of hats for women—the ultra fashionable models that are now being exhibited in our Salon d'Exposition Parisien.

No setting given us as an environment to any display was ever more thoroughly appreciated than the manner in which we have chosen to display the Paris models. Thousands upon thousands of people have viewed this exhibit of fashion—mostly women, of course—and the consensus of opinion is that it exceeds anything ever attempted in Pittsburgh. Indeed, we had it from visitors, yesterday, both from Chicago and New York that in none of the leading stores in either city was there ever seen such a rare and unique display.

This Exhibit, together with the General Easter Opening throughout the store, will be continued during the week, and everybody, not only in Pittsburg and Allegheny, but in the towns around us is cordially invited to come and view it as often as they can spare the time.

The scenical effects will be continued all through the week.

THE GRAND CANYON OF THE YELLOWSTONE.

Anderson's marvelously realistic painting—valued at $50,000—exhibited daily in our Picture Galleries, fourth floor, West.

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Silk Hosiery for Easter Wear.

If women say they must have $15.00 silk hosiery, that grade is here, and from that down to good silk stockings at $1.50. We'll be more specific—

Fine French Silk Stockings—lace boots—plain with neat colored embroidery—$3.00 a pair to $15.00.

Black Silk Hosiery—Rembrandt and Richelieu, $2.75 a pair; black Gauze Silk Hose, colored tops, $2.00 a pair.

Silk Hose in plain colors, also black and white, $2.00 a pair.

Black Silk Stockings, garter hem, cotton or lisle soles, $1.50 a pair.

Silk Hose in various pretty colors, $1.00 a pair.

Plated Silk Hose, black, white and colors, 85c and $1.00 a pair.

Plated Silk Hose, in shot effects, all colors, 75c a pair.

SPECIAL—Black Gauze Lisle Hose, double feet and garter tops, black with lace boots, white gauze and lace boots—50c grades—3 pairs $1.00; single pair.....35c

German Lisle Hose—various colors and black—35c grade—$1.40 a half dozen—single pair.....25c

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New Ideas in Art Needlework.

The new Petaline is very attractive and very beautiful. Women will ardently receive it.

Each petal in the flower is worked separately, then put on top of the flower, thus giving it a very natural appearance.

This new Petaline Embroidery is used upon sofa pillows, table covers and centerpieces. We have all the stamped pieces ready for execution.

NOTE—Lessons given in all branches of needlework, also in the new pastime of Paintography. Take elevator to third floor, West Art Needlework Division.

SPECIAL—Today we name a very special value in White Stamped Hats for women and children. Large variety in patterns on latest designs. These hats are for shadow embroidery.

The price is 25c each.

Easter Opening of Parasols.

This is one of the attractive features of our General Easter Opening.

The finest parasols and the newest ideas in trimmings are being exhibited from Paris; smart sunshades are a London production—both collections are in exclusive designs.

As an Easter gift there is nothing quite so appropriate as a parasol.

All women have a special invitation to stop at the Parasol Counter and see every new style.

As a special this week we offer White Embroidered Parasols—dozen different styles, worth at least a half more—our popular price, $3.00 each.

It is quite the thing to have monograms embroidered in contrasting colors on plain linen parasols. We will accept your order for monograms and the price will be very moderate.

Automobile Supplies

Next to the abundant variety of different kinds of supplies that we have on hand all the time, is our range of exceptionally low prices as compared with what are usually charged around town.

Criterion Alpha Lamp—the most perfect Alpha type lamp with 4-inch optical lens. Throws a light over a radius of half a mile. Prices $32.00, $36.00, $40.00, $50.00 a pair.

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Our Moving Day Sale.

All Household Belongings at Very Special Prices.

Yesterday afternoon we drew attention to this sale in a somewhat elaborate layout, and this morning we want to point out the particular good things and give them to you by way of illustration.

We dare say very few housewives ever knew of a heavy blocked tin wash boiler, with an extra heavy copper bottom, being sold for $1.75. Yet at that price we are going to offer these wash boilers today and throughout the week. That is just one dollar less than our regular popular price. Observe some of the other remarkable offers.

Wash Boilers

No. 9 Kreamer—known to every woman as a heavy block tin boiler—extra heavy copper bottom, regular price $2.75, special for....$1.75

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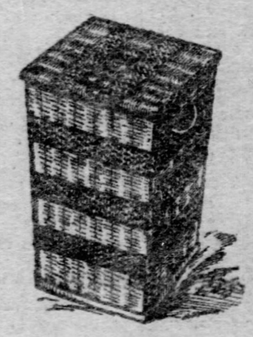
6 foot size, strongly made, complete with bucket rest, a regular $1.00 ladder.....65c

Wall Paper Cleaner

This paper cleaner takes dirt of all sorts off the wall paper. Very easily used. We guarantee its effectiveness.

Regularly 10c can, special 3 cans, 22c; single can.....8c



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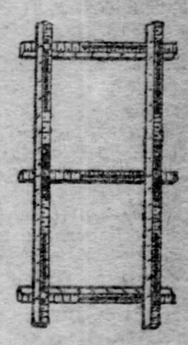
Splendidly made hampers, similar to illustration, which sell regularly for $1.65, special at.....$1.29



Curtain Stretchers

These stretchers are the equal of any $1.00 stretchers on the market and were bought especially for the occasion. Special price...65c

600 Stransky Lipped Saucepans—we have the same thing in stock at 40c—will be sold today at 10c each. Only reason for giving them away at this price is simply to acquaint you with Stransky Enameled Ware.

75c Waste Baskets—half dozen different styles—will be sold for 40c each.

The Rex Water Filter, a $2.00 arrangement, will be sold for $1.25.

Our regular 25c Wire Carpet Beater will be sold for 17c.

We will sell a 50-pound Flour Can, worth 75c, for 45c.

We will sell regular $1.00 Wire Rubbish Burners for 65c.

We will sell regular $1.00 Floor Broom, for hardwood floors, at 75c.

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Wednesday, April 4, 1906.

A novel idea has been introduced in Armstrong county license court—the requirement that every vendor, wholesale or retail, shall affix a label to each package bearing his name in large letters. The purpose may be divined easily and the practice may bring embarrassment to many applicants next year.

Apparently a majority of Chicago voters have voted for the purchase of the street railways by the city, but not a sufficient majority to carry the project under the election ordinance. The requirement was for 60 per cent of the votes. In the face of the report of the Glasgow expert it is surprising that an actual majority could be obtained.

In the address of the president of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association, a year of good trade work is summed up. The new organization has set a lively pace that is being followed by other commercial bodies in the city to Pittsburgh's advantage. Each has its own sphere and there is no reason why they should not work in harmony.

There is in the mining situation what might be described as "a beautiful mix-up." From the public point of view it is not serious, though the miners are taking their quarrel much to heart, and some of the operators appear to be in distress. In as far as the Pittsburgh district is concerned, the prospect is for steady work and continued prosperity.

An interesting action in direct relation to the general hope for a speedy realization of the Greater Pittsburgh is yesterday's resolution of the Pittsburgh presbytery favoring union with the presbytery of Allegheny. While the matter has been discussed for years, inspiration for decisive action was afforded by the early prospect for the cities' consolidation. The Greater Pittsburgh will make for increased effectiveness along many different lines of endeavor.

It is peculiarly fitting that Edward Everett Hale, whose friends in all parts of the world congratulated him yesterday on attaining the age of 84 years, should, as chaplain of the senate, occupy a position in his country's service. By writing "The Man Without a Country," Dr. Hale furnished a lesson in patriotism which has not been lost upon the youth of the land. The nation is proud of the man and his work, both inspirations to a deeper love of one's country.

Maj.-Gen. Charles C. Miller has created some sensation by resigning command of the National Guard of Pennsylvania. His reasons are adequate; the sensation is simply because the action was unexpected. Gen. Miller has served long and well. The appointment of Gen. J. P. S. Gobin of Lebanon, ranking brigadier general will cause no surprise. Gen. Gobin is a veteran of the civil war and has been active in the Guard since its organization. He will make a good commander.

Senator Tillman shows signs of resuming action with his rhetorical pitchfork in opposing the appointment of Benjamin F. Barnes, assistant secretary to the President, as postmaster of Washington. Mr. Tillman's wrath, as usual, blinds his judgment. He characterizes Mr. Barnes as a "carpet-bagger," when the latter has been a resident of Washington for 16 years. The revival of the now almost forgotten "Morris incident" is another evidence of Mr. Tillman's mental strabismus.

An after-dinner story told at Springfield, Mass., of a senator in congress who said he did not know, when the roll was called, whether to answer "present" or "not guilty," was a clever sarcasm on the "exposers for revenue only." It is a bit of American wit, an exhibition of the underlying humor in the American character that so often saves a bad situation. The good sense of the American people will not long tolerate the pessimism of overwrought "exposure" literature. The laugh has already started.

Purely Public Uses.

Discovery is made that market house leases have been made tending toward exclusive privileges. Some effort will be made to revoke them. We will not discuss the probability of success attending this effort, but wish to call attention to the obvious violation of the grant by which the market property was conveyed to the city.

One of the officials who retired from office on Monday—no regret for his going—raised objection to locating the Soldiers' Memorial on the site of the market houses because that property has been donated on condition it should be used "exclusively for public purposes." What sort of public purpose is served by renting all of the stalls in one line of business to a single interest? What public purpose, indeed, is served by granting exclusive privileges in any stall for an annual rental? The vending of wares in and around the market houses is on precisely the same commercial basis as in other parts of the city. The whole system has been corrupted since the grant of the property to the city.

On the other hand, maintenance of a Memorial hall, in commemoration of the heroic and patriotic services of the sons of Allegheny county is a purely public use. Inclusion of a capacious auditorium for the use of the public is far more in the line of the grant than the renting of fruit stands that are elsewhere maintained on the sidewalks. Old City hall, during its historic career, gives ample support to this view. Let us have a restoration of this centrally located square to purely public uses.

The Immigrant Flood.

Immigration Commissioner Sargent believes the total number of arrivals for the current fiscal year will exceed that for last year. He bases this estimate on the statistics for the eight months and the tremendous influx noted during March. The total of immigrants last year exceeded 1,026,000. A particularly discouraging feature is the constantly increasing proportion of illiterates among the newcomers.

Last year three-fourths of the immigrants remained in six states; New York, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Illinois, Ohio and New Jersey in the order named. Few went to the southern states where there is some pretended demand for them and fewer to the agricultural states in the west where there is an annual call for harvest hands. Few of them, in fact, are capable of farm labor and for the greater part they prefer to live in colonies and maintain their former habits. A very large percentage of these immigrants are undesirable from any patriotic view.

Inspector Braun has thrown much light on the causes of the enormously increased movement toward our shores. Steamship agents are active for profit and foreign governments are lending more or less open encouragement to men to migrate temporarily that they may send money back to the families left at home. Braun is particularly sensational in his disclosures affecting the government of Hungary, which actually contracted to give the Cunard line, Fiume to New York, a minimum of 30,000 steerage passengers yearly for 10 years. Italy is an offender only in less degree.

It needs no close analysis of the immigrants arriving to confirm Inspector Braun's worst charges. It needs no inspiration to see the result of joint efforts of steamship agents to get business and of government agents to send here men whose absence from their native lands is desirable. And it needs no prophet to foresee the inevitable glut of the American labor market, or the harm that will come to American citizens. He who runs, with his eye open, may read the signs.

What is congress going to do about it? Pennsylvania, New York and Massachusetts would speedily shut the gates if such action lay in their power. Unfortunately they have no jurisdiction. They can do nothing but suffer until it pleases congress to do something for their protection. They can only plead for relief. An educational qualification, a restriction of the number that any one vessel may bring, an extension of the types of undesirables and of the time for sending them back whence they came, all of these are good provisions. Why does congress not make them law? It is a patriotic duty.

Again Looking to Bryan.

Did the Hon. William Jennings Bryan project his long absence from this country for the purpose of testing his strength as the last hope of Democracy for 1908, or is it just accidental that being far from the strife of Democratic factions he has grown in favor with those who once bitterly opposed him? Whichever way we look at the situation the fact is Mr. Bryan is now being seriously considered by conservative Democrats of New York as a presidential possibility. It has not been more than a week since De Lancey Nicoll, vice chairman of the Democratic national committee at a meeting of the Democratic club of New York city, eulogized Mr. Bryan as an honorable Democrat and scoriated other would-be aspirants for the party leadership. Preparations for a public reception to the "peerless leader" on his return from a tour around the world coming on the heels of Mr. Nicoll's significant utterances cannot be overlooked.

Mr. Hearst's activity of late is the cause of the sudden flocking to the standard of the one-time "boy orator of the Platte." While Mr. Bryan has not shown brilliantly in his syndicated correspondence from abroad, it will be noticed he has carefully avoided any allusions to home affairs. In other words he has, by his absence, escaped committing himself to one side or the other of the very animated questions that are now forming issues for the next presidential campaign. He will arrive home in professed ignorance of what has been going on in the country. He will be in position to do what may be deemed most expedient.

Apparently there will be trouble in the Democratic ranks. Mr. Hearst is ambitious and unscrupulous. Mr. Bryan probably is stronger today than ever. He has broadened perceptibly. He is, to his friends, a clean, honorable gentleman who has a wonderful hold on what was once called a "fanatical following." He is preferred to Hearst by those who live in what he was once pleased to designate as the "enemy's country." If it comes to a question of Bryan or Hearst the conservatives will be for Bryan.

Business of the State.

Gov. Pennypacker's message to President Baer of the Anthracite Coal Operators' association and to President Mitchell of the Miners' union, expresses clearly the sentiments of the people of Pennsylvania. The people have a large interest in the matter. They expect miners and operators to exert themselves to reach a just basis of agreement, rather than to use their best endeavors each to sustain a position that will lead to disagreement.

The interest of the people in this matter is not confined merely to their capacity as consumers of coal. On the state falls the burden of maintaining order and protecting property. During the strike of 1902 this was no small consideration. The expense of maintaining the National Guard in the field was heavy and the annoyance was great. Gov. Pennypacker has the right to demand conditions that will avoid repetition of that experience.

In this connection we may note the protest of the Central district miners' organization against the state constabulary. Either those miners do not understand the purpose for which the state police force was organized, or they have designs against the peace and order of the commonwealth. It is true this organization may be used to suppress rioting, a very proper use, but that is not its sole object. In the event of riots it may save corporations the expense of maintaining private police, but at the same time it will prevent them from employing officers to serve their interests alone. The state police will be impartial, but they will uphold the law. More power to them.

Teaching Patriotic Songs.

Boards of education in three western cities have made it one of the conditions necessary for entrance to the high school that pupils shall be able to repeat the words if not sing the music of several patriotic songs, such as "America," "The Star-Spangled Banner," and "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean." The result is, pupils in the primary grades are taught these songs years before they take the high school entrance examinations and no boy or girl is ignorant of the stirringly patriotic sentiments. It has remained for a Boston educator, however, to advocate the teaching of patriotic songs in Sunday school. Desiring to sing "America" at a recent session, the superintendent discovered the song was not in the book employed by his Sunday school and requested the children to sing it from memory. Few of the children could repeat more than the first stanza and the adults present were able to lend them but little assistance. Now not only "America," but other patriotic songs, not of a primarily religious nature, are to be practiced each Sunday until the pupils have learned their lesson.

While there can be no doubt of the lamentable popular ignorance of what may be called our national songs, there are signs of a revival of interest. No nation can boast a larger number of inspiring songs in which the words and music seem to be fittingly wedded. We can be patriotic without knowing their words and music, but it is much better to know them, and as the time to learn is when one is young, their teaching should be included in the curriculum of every public school in the country.

Judge Kunkel made short work of the prosecution for violation of the vaccination law by discharging the defendants. He held that because the directors construed between two laws in favor of the greater they were not guilty of crime.

Texans are expressing some disappointment over the fact that Bernhardt's tent performance of "Camille" is not accompanied by the usual menagerie and performing dogs.

Out in the valley of the Canadian they have dug up a pair of horns eight feet long and 28 inches in circumference. The prehistoric Texas steer, of course.

The prince of Wales, having killed nine tigers and three panthers in India, may expect to receive a letter of congratulation from Washington.

One of the most interesting races in prospect is that of the various nations which are engaged in building "the biggest battleship."

Flammarion's new book on lightning will be conspicuous for an important omission if it fails to chronicle the presidential variety.

The college professor who was found starving in Philadelphia should have been a professor of the art of self-defense.

Dr. S. Wier Mitchell, with his theory of intoxication by music, is the first to suggest the horrors of the harmonic jag.

Superintendent Thomas McQuaide seems to be gathering one of the largest collections of bouquets on record.

Deposed office-holders who go about exhibiting their sores are surprised to find how busy everybody is.

The English clergyman who will act as his own bartender has achieved a neat scoop on Bishop Potter.

A few conscientious newspapers have not yet characterized the price of coal as a burning issue.

It is pretty nearly time for the annual agitation for a noiseless Fourth of July to begin.

Director Ridgway says he will act first and talk afterward. This is good policy.

"Fair, but warmer," is the latest bulletin from the public safety building.

At last somebody has succeeded in setting the river on fire.

Quiet Observations on Timely Topics

There May Be Nothing in It, but Some Folks Want It.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Do you knock wood when you have good luck, or when you want to keep bad luck away?

Maybe you think it isn't in knocking wood. Then what do you do—cross your fingers, step on stone, or whistle?

Which pin do you pick up, the one pointing from you, or towards you?

What do you do to ward off the bad luck in seeing the new moon over your left shoulder?

Which stocking do you put on first or which shoe do you take off last?

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O fcourse it is the proper thing to say that you are not troubled with such trifling superstitions; but the chances are that you have a pet one or two. You may not rely on this to any great extent, but you would not feel altogether comfortable if the sign was against you.

Where these things have been impressed on the minds of children it is very difficult, even next to impossible to eradicate them, for that which a child mentally imbibes becomes as much a part of itself as that which it imbibes physically.

It is most important, therefore, to only impress truthful and right things on infant minds. Many a man and woman suffers more or less from wrong impressions received in childhood.

A scary story told to a confiding child may give a wrong, and possibly a fatal trend to its life. Therefore, always tell stories that are pleasant and helpful.

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But let us get back to signs, portents, and astral influences.

Isn't it rather singular, or is it, that bachelors and maids of more years than they care to acknowledge, are much interested in things of this sort, and are particularly anxious to learn what the stars are telling about them? At the suggestion of some of them we have been giving the astrology of the months.

The sign Aries, the ram, began to rule March 21, at 7:16 a. m. and will continue until April 23, at 12:50 a. m.

Those born between the above dates are positive in disposition, theoretical in tastes, animal in feelings and bilious in temperament.

Original, independent, good reasoners, self reliant, theorists, natural born organizers, self opinionated, heady, egotistical, living on a healthy, normal, animal plane.

Natural leaders, difficult to control, cannot be forced or driven.

Originate their own ideas and ways of doing things.

Not quarrelsome, but neither meddle with others nor allow others to meddle with them.

Make good teachers, preachers, journalists, lawyers, or any other vocation where they have supreme control.

Inclined to diseases of the head.

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The sign Taurus, the bull, begins April 23 at 12:50 a. m. and ends May 23 at 11:08 p. m.

Those born between the above dates are passive in disposition, theoretical in tastes, emotional in feelings, bilious in temperament.

Have their own ideas of everything, not inclined to argument, but capable of strong feelings and hard to convince.

These people get the reputation of being sulky or set in their ways of thinking.

Inclined to see the dark side of life, brooding over their supposed troubles rather than complaining.

Self-willed and unconquerable in their ways of thinking, but are easily controlled in methods of doing.

Willingly take a subordinate relation to others.

Not inventors but good students.

Great endurance, good memory.

Strong likes and dislikes.

Make good scientists, astronomers, biologists, or any vocation requiring good memory, natural talents and obedience.

Inclined to diseases of the throat.

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Females born under Aries or Taurus will be very uncongenial with persons born under the same and the two following signs, and very congenial with those born under the signs Virgo, Leo and Cancer—from June 21 to August 21. The same for males.

This may be nothing more than nonsense, yet some folks get a lot of comfort out of it and some get discomfort.

When a man or woman find they did not marry right, or think they didn't, they would give a whole lot to have some one, or something, to blame it on, for no one wants to shoulder his own mistakes.

While no one need make a mistake in taking the choice of a life partner, there is a guide that is far more reliable than astrology. It is common sense.

Love is so awfully blind that it cannot see money, nor lands, nor houses. It knows only the human heart, nor will name or fame satisfy the little lord.

You may substitute wealth, position, or name, but it will never be acceptable to his royal highness. You may be satisfied for a time, and maybe worry through a life without the association of the nimble little chap, but you will miss a lot of good, solid comfort and real happiness.

When a man marries money his wife is always given credit for whatever success he may achieve, but if he fails then he is charged with going through her fortune, although she may have blown it all in, and more, for hats, dresses, and jewels.

It seems that the poor men are listed to get the worst of it, don't you think?

CASUAL GLIMPSES AROUND THE CITY

Notes About People and Events in Which Pittsburghers Are Interested.

A fair example of the state of unrest, of expansion, that now characterizes the hotel situation in Pittsburgh, can be instanced in the rumor that gained currency yesterday that the Hotel Griswold in Smithfield street had been sold for $525,000 by Kaufmann brothers, a basis of $5,000 a front foot. The fact that there was any sale of this property was denied yesterday by the owners, who purchased the property six years ago for $300,000.

"The Griswold has not been sold," said Mr. Aronson of Aronson & Friedman, representing the owners, last night, "and this rumor is only another evidence of the unrest in Pittsburgh realty, and particularly the fact that investors are watching the hotel situation closely. Nathan Schaffner, present proprietor of the Griswold, has a lease that will not expire for four years yet."

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"Herder" Is Color Blind.

Twelve hundred immigrants—fresh from Ellis Island, N. Y., arrived in the B. & O. station yesterday, and as the individuals of the great concourse of foreigners were absolutely ignorant of the western cities they were bound for, Chicago, Cleveland, St. Louis and the far west were indicated on their lapels by red, white, green, blue and yellow placards to facilitate herding them. Considerable amusement was created by a railroad employe who supervised "the bunch" and whose methods of corralling the immigrants almost landed some of them in the west, while friends awaited them in the south, and vice versa. He was color blind—a condition not prevalent among railroad men. Because of this affliction he herded the red, blue and green-placarded immigrants together indiscriminately, and it took a lot of jabbering and hustling to get things straightened out enough to allow the foreigners to scatter for their different destinations.

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After Japanese Contracts.

Alexander Thomas, who has been in Japan in the interest of the Crucible Steel Company of America, of which corporation he is secretary, has landed in New York and will be at his home in Oakmont the latter part of this week.

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Danish Society Meets.

The Danish society, a Pittsburgh organization of former residents of Denmark, welcomed 12 members into the fold last night, at a meeting held in the Hotel Lincoln. The future study of Danish literature, particularly the olden sagas and folk tales, was outlined, and plans made to co-operate with various Danish organizations throughout the country to place the gems of Danish literature prominently before the American people in the form of translations. The organization is not yet two months old, but is flourishing.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Lincoln—M. G. Blum, Wheeling; W. Wilson, Clarion; George A. Ferguson, Shinnston, W. Va.; J. Ott, East Brady.

Anderson—W. H. Sutton, Butler; A. B. Ward, California; L. Masterson, M. Nathan, Johnstown; J. H. Timerlake, Steubenville.

Annex—J. J. Hart, Jamestown; M. H. Winters, Butler; E. S. Boyle, Washington; B. M. Loar, J. S. Mullin, Mount Pleasant; W. E. Jackson, E. L. Baylis, New Castle; William S. Cook, Beaver Falls; S. A. Mercer, Natrona; H. H. Harrison, Wheeling; F. D. Davis, Minerva; Charles Mertz, Butler; E. C. Phillips, Belle Vernon; E. R. Williams, Butler.

Colonial—W. J. Robinson, Bolivar; P. J. Brennen, Salem, O.; Dr. J. R. Thom, New Martinsville, W. Va.; Dr. J. R. Milton, Smithfield, W. Va.; Arthur Davis, Scranton; F. H. Ziegler, Wheeling; F. W. Crane, Morgantown, W. Va.; W. D. Wright, Brownsville.

Antler—James Walters, Johnstown; J. H. Beal, Scio, O.; H. Tallett, Tarentum; H. J. Connolly, Parkersburg.

Monongahela—George G. Criswell, Scottdale; R. A. Rathburn, Parker; P. N. Jones, Punxsutawney; Leon Harding, New Castle.

Griswold—I. T. Johnson, Clarion; William T. Smith, Rochester; William H. Wilson, Bradford.

St. Charles—Louis Cohen, Newcastle; J. H. Thomas, Johnstown; B. Louis Smithfield, Sharon.

Newell's—C. F. DeGolier, Cambridge, O.; Joseph Garthan, Parkersburg, W. Va.; J. H. Ellsworth, Bradford; A. W. Bishop, Connellsville; N. West, Johnstown.

Boyer—A. B. Park, Canonsburg; E. J. Guthrie, Salem, W. Va.; H. G. Campbell, Butler; J. F. McDermott, Reading; George C. Crow, Charleroi; James Foust, Altoona; Dr. W. J. Carvire, Vandergrift; J. A. Adms Adams, Slippery Rock; John W. Blake, Wheeling; James McGregor, Indiana.

Seventh Avenue—E. J. McCullough, Clinton; J. L. Crow, California; S. E. Treat, Morgantown, W. Va.; Morris L. Painter, Greensburg; A. Townsend, New Brighton; C. P. Gordon, Washington; H. A. Wilmot, Apollo.

Fort Pitt—G. G. Stage, Greenville; F. C. Pierce, Smithport; C. Huyler, Punxsutawney; B. Frank James, Ebensburg; E. Smallwood, Elyria, O.; Ludwig Wolff, Canton, O.; C. H. Pichard, B. S. Dean, Jamestown; F. Knowles, East Liverpool, O.; A. J. Bennett, Cambridge, O.

Schenley—Clark Hulings, Oil City; J. S. Price, Chestnut Hill, Pa.; F. M. Ambrose, New York; A. F. Hochwalt, Dayton, O.; A. D. Newell, New Castle, Pa.

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Pittsburghers in New York.

NEW YORK, April 3.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—J. P. Orr.
Hotel Astor—E. A. Brennan, J. Jones.
Manhattan—M. R. Ruse, Mrs. Ruse, N. B. Taylor, B. P. Young.
Fifth Avenue—E. M. Quimby, Jr., T. McNeil, Jr.
York—G. W. Towell, W. P. Boyle, Mrs. Boyle.
Navarre—A. G. Andrews, F. L. Thompson.
Grand Union—J. E. Mulroy.
Grand—W. B. Carter, Mrs. Carter.
Imperial—H. D. Davis, J. A. McGhee, H. W. Williams, C. Baldridge.
St. Denis—W. K. Steiner, A. Francis.
Albert—B. Baus.
Bartholdi—H. R. Curwen.
Gerard—M. Hays, Mrs. Hays.
Hotel Astor—J. E. Quigley.
Ashland—G. Fiske.
Broadway Central—J. L. Fusner, J. B. Dickey.
Earlington—Miss N. G. Bates, J. Routter, Mrs. Routter.
Hoffman—J. Ituiz.
Holland—A. C. Spindler.

Taft is a Wise Cupid.

Secretary Taft has expressed again the opinion that army officers of the lower grades should not be allowed to marry unless they have something besides their pay to live upon. He is moved not exclusively by a desire to prevent the unhappiness which frequently results from imprudent marriages, but quite as much by a regard for the safety of the funds of the United States. It appears that the cause of a large proportion of the embezzlements of which the army is the victim is the inability of the younger officers to maintain an establishment upon their meager pay.—Chicago Tribune.

Panama Canal Nonsense.

The people of the whole country are heartily tired of the protracted controversy over Panama canal affairs, and demand more practical work, and a good deal less unpractical talk. The alleged waste of money has been threshed over and over, and while it is shown that there might have been extravagance, it was in no way due to dishonesty or graft, but principally on account of the strangeness of the problem to even the most expert of engineers, and also to the executive force.—Baltimore American.

Answers to Correspondents.

W. J. M., Penn avenue—Nelson H. Henry, Albany, New York.

A. D. P.—Inquire of any prominent druggist.

L. B. W., Brownsville—We do not know any newspaper writer of the name you mention.

Extraordinary, But Not Unhealthy.

We are within two months of the Republican state convention and nobody knows who will be nominated for governer. This is an extraordinary situation in Pennsylvania, but it is not unhealthy.—Philadelphia Press.

LINES OF LEVITY.

"Some o' de gloomy conversation," said Uncle Eben, "is caused by de fact dat it's easier to talk hard times dan it is to do hard work."—Washington Star.

Sillicus—Say what you will, marriage has its good points.

Cynicus—Yes, I suppose it keeps a man from brooding over his other troubles.—Philadelphia Record.

"Your bookkeper seems to be a bright young woman." "Yes; but she has some very eccentric ideas." "Indeed!" "Yes. She enters our messenger boy's wages as 'running expenses.'"—Tit-Bits.

"Joseph Medill Patterson wants to know why John D. Rockefeller wasn't in Missouri when the authorities there wanted him."

"Why doesn't Joseph Medill Patterson read the newspaper published by certain members of his illustrious family."—Cleveland Plain-Dealer.

Dentist (prodding a patient's gum in search of a fragment of root)—Funny, I don't seem to feel it.

Patient (ironical in spite of the pain)—You're in luck!—Les Annales.

A Gentle Hint—"Ethel," the sweet girl's father called gently from above stairs.

"Yes, father. What is it?" she answered through the midnight stillness.

"Just tell your young man to be careful and not trip over the morning's milk when he goes out."—Catholic Standard and Times.

The World's a Stage and We the Players

Gossip of Men and Things on Both Sides of the Asbestos Curtain.

By Charles M. Bregg.

I have a little note signed "One Who Was There," asking me for an intelligent explanation and analysis of Ibsen's play, "Hedda Gabler," presented by Mrs. Fiske during her visit last week. My correspondent says further: "I heard a number of people around me passing doubtful remarks as to the play that night. I enjoyed Mrs. Fiske's acting and I confess to an extreme excitement over what seemed to be going forward, but I cannot understand really what it all means and why the woman should be made to shoot herself, as I suppose she did."

Though this letter is anonymous and very evidently from a young woman of immature experience with the methods of dramatic suggestion, the very ingenuousness of the question invites me to give it place here.

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There is no occasion for surprise over this theatergoer's mystification at Ibsen's philosophy. Very many people who profess great appreciation for and knowledge of the Norwegian's dramatic bent are quite as much in the dark, if they would only admit it. "Hedda Gabler," however, presents a more or less vivid study in moral degeneracy, though the immediate causes are hidden. Ibsen's story of Hedda Gabler has its beginning before the curtain goes up on the play. This previous beginning is indicated in the dialogue plainly enough, but the connection in the moral theme is left largely to inference, hence my correspondent's confusion.

By way of analogy, somewhat remote it is true, but helpful in reaching an understandable knowledge of the play, it is a well established fact in alienistic science that certain conditions of living and of environment produce certain variations in mental and moral development and degeneracy. For instance, it was determined some time ago that insanity was a marked feature of secluded rural residence.

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Statistics prove that the women who live on the secluded farms of New England show a larger per cent of insanity of one form or another, principally melancholia, than any other class of Americans. Stagnation is moral infection just as it is physical infection under certain conditions. Hedda Gabler primarily is the product of Norwegian home conditions. Within the household of old General Gabler existed that slow and tortuous domestic repression and stagnation that poisons moral growth and freedom at the roots. These are the primary sources of Isben philosophy and these are the reflections that give form to Hedda Gabler's history as it is played out on the stage after she became Hedda Tesman.

It is because the conditions that produced this moral condition and made the woman what we find her on the stage lie back in her previous life, and are Ibsen's philosophic deductions from merely local environment, the stage part of the history seems to many unwarranted. Hedda Gabler's moral bias developed under the stifling conditions of home life for the Norwegian woman, and of course we Americans of broader living do not recognize the product as Ibsen presents it.

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So much for Hedda's beginning. They explain the woman's dead moral faculties. She began to deceive, to lie and to enjoy forbidden sins as a girl. The irksomeness of her position drove her into stealthy liason with Lovberb before she married Tesman. But she must retain her outward respectability at all hazards. This was (conditions are better now) an unbending law among the caste of Norway. Her revolt against the shallow moral environment of her life, her protest against the limitations which it set, drove her into marriage with Tesman, an eminently respectable student. Then came the revelation of Lovberg's love for Mrs. Elvsted and the bitter hatred of the respectable poverty into which Hedda found herself.

All the accumulated bitterness and evil that had been festering in her mind for years rose to the surface, and the play is simply Ibsen's deductions from certain moral causes. Dread of scandal was perhaps the deciding cause of Hedda's suicide. Like an animal at bay, to her depraved moral sensibilities, this end was the inevitable one.

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Moral degredation as the result of depressing and narrow social conditions, peculiarly Norwegian, overlaid with a harsh and unyielding law of respectability and hollow refinement, combine to make Hedda Gabler. If you are not familiar with the subtler forms of character development you will miss Ibsen's profound philosophy, and yet its processes in a limited way and perhaps inaccurately applied, have become a household proverb. We have all heard it said that 'preachers' children are generally the most ungrateful and wildest of all children." I believe on the whole that this is a travesty, but it indicates remotely the Ibsen philosophy. Repression for the mere sake of appearances is a dangerous moral discipline to apply. Lack of sound, sweet, wholesome moral sentiment cannot be filled by all the superficial command in the world. Thrown violently back on itself the moral nature is likely to find outlets in dark places.

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In this connection it is interesting to know that Ibsen's plays has never made great progress in this country, though the truly intellectual followers, among whom is Mrs. Fiske herself. The first Ibsen play ever presented was "A Doll's House," which Madame Modjeska produced a number of years ago. Richard Mansfield's wife, then Beatrice Cameron, also presented this play a number of times. Ten years ago Mrs. Fiske tells me she first presented "A Doll's House," and since that time this actress has been the chief exponent of the Norwegian dramatist in this country. Mrs. Fiske, however, was not the first American actress to present "Hedda Gabler" in this country, that honor going to an actress of no great reputation, but who had presented the play while on a visit to England.

Besides these players Nance O'Neill, Blanche Bates, Mary Shaw and Ethel Barrymore have all essayed different Ibsen roles. "Pillars of Society" has been played in this country, Beerbohm Tree presenting the latter play during his last visit to America. Rosmersholm was given a hurried performance in New York about two years ago. It was this one of Ibsen's plays that Mrs. Fiske contemplates placing permanently in her repertoire. "When We Dead Awake" has had a New York presentation and "Ghosts," as most theatergoers know, has had very frequent productions in this country.

It is exceedingly improbable that Ibsen shall ever become generally popular among American playgoers. His plays present splendid studies in the technique of construction, but their philosophic interest is too remote to ever appeal generally to our American tastes.

Good Stories of Pith and Moment.

Chat and Anecdote of Entertaining and Instructive Character.

CULLED FROM VARIOUS SOURCES.

A Warm Convent.

"Chuck" Conners had been asked for his opinion of the Laird of Skibo's latest public eruption. "Chuck" was pondering. You can't write a monograph in a minute. Great bodies move slowly. Therefore "Chuck" pondered. And Chinatown was silent, sitting at the feet of Wisdom.

"'Well, Bill, old boy," he said at last, "this here Carnegie gag of spellin' words the way words should be spelled wallops me mind as bein' to literature wot Christy Mathewson is to baseball.

"I'll tell you," said Chuck. "I'm goin' to get a gang of language slingers what wheel around this den at night, an' we'll make old man Noah Webster look like an Orangeman at a St. Patrick's day picnic. We'll give him the Togo. We'll put the lingual—I looked that word up, too—we'll put the lingual larrup on his solar plexus and Noah'll be the proud recipient of 'twenty-three' in the school books. Me an' Andy'll amputate a couple o' hundred endin's to words what ain't 'spelt' in the paper. Billy—spelt the way a able-bodied, healthy, fourteen karat, stem windin' warranted-not-to-rust human bein' would spell 'em.

"Tell Andy, Bill, to skiddoo down—not skibo—skiddoo, to w'ere the phonograph wheezes for the nominal sum of a cent, one penny, an' you can get 'Tom an' Jerry' for a nickel. We'll tell him how to use a hatchet on the English language."—New York Journal.

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Discount for Shortage.

A couple evidently from an exceedingly rural district recently presented themselves at the home of a Buffalo minister and announced that they wished to be married. The would-be bride was of a homeliness to cause one less pity for the blind, but the groom seemed satisfied, and as they possessed the necessary license the minister proceeded to perform the ceremony.

"How much does that come to, Parson?" the man then inquired, bringing a handful of silver change from a deep trousers pocket. "Name yer regular figger that you charge th' swells. I'm a-goin' th' limit, by jinks!"

"Oh, I have no regular charge," the minister said: "Just give me what you think it's worth."

The groom turned and eyed his bride in a speculative manner.

"She's a good gal, ef she ain't much on looks," he said thoughtfully, "an' I'll be gosh darned ef she ain't worth a dollar an' forty-five cents."

He was about to hand over the silver when the lady caught his arm and deducted the five-cent piece from the sum.

"Wait, Si," she said, "Take back this nickel; you don't know it, but when I was a child I chopped off two toes with 'h' hatchet."—Harper's Weekly.

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Got Back at Him.

A practical joker of New York city tells this story upon himself and declares that the experience cured him of his bad habit.

"On my arrival at San Francisco, as a joke I sent to a friend of mine at home, well known for his aversion to spending money, a telegram, with charges to collect, reading: 'I am perfectly well.'

The information evidently was gratifying to him, for about a week after sending the telegram an express package was delivered at my room, on which I paid $4 for charges. Upon opening the package I found a large New York street paving block, on which was pasted a card which read:

"This is the weight your recent telegram lifted from my heart."—New York Press.

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The Competent Juror.

The judge had his patience sorely tried by lawyers who wished to talk and by men who tried to evade jury service. Between hypothetical questions and excuses it seemed as if they never would get to the actual trial of the case. So when the puzzled little German who had been accepted by both sides jumped up the judge was exasperated.

"Shudge?" cried the German.

"What is it?" demanded the judge.

"I tink I like to go home to my wife," said the German.

"You can't," retorted the judge. "Sit down."

"But, shudge," persisted the German, "I don't tink I make a good shuror."

"You're the best in the box," said the judge. "Sit down."

"What box?" said the German.

"Jury box," said the judge.

"Oh, I thought it vas a bad box that peoples gets in sometimes."

"No," said the judge, "the bad box is the prisoners' box."

"But, shudge," persisted the little German, "I don't speak good English."

"You don't have to speak any at all," said the judge. "Sit down."

The little German pointed at the lawyers to make his last desperate plea.

"Shudge," he said, "I can't make noddings of what these fellers say."

It was the judge's chance to get even for the many annoyances.

"Neither can anyone else," he said. "Sit down."

With a sigh the little German sat down.—The Green Bag.

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Was Rightly Named.

A speaker at one of the sessions of the Philadelphia Methodist conference tells this story, which, he says, was related to him by Bishop Hartzell: "The bishop, while on a southern tour, met a darky who was the father of 16 children, the youngest of whom was scarcely out of arms, and on asking him what the youngster's name was received this reply: 'Judas 'Scariot, sah.' 'You don't mean to tell me that that is really his baptismal name, do you?' asked the bishop. 'Indeed, I do, sah; ain't dat a script'ral name?' 'Yes, but do you know who Judas Iscariot was?' 'Course I does, sah; but doan de scripture say it would have ben better for Judas 'Scariot if he had never been borned?' 'Yes; but what has this to do with this poor little chap?' 'Dat's jest it, sah; dat's jest it; it would have been better for dis poor little chap if he had never been borned, and dat's why we calls him Judas 'Scariot.'"—Philadelphia Record.

Very Neatly Put.

Parker says the Republican party is "rotten to the core." Unlike the Democratic party, however, it still possesses "esprit du core."—New York Mail.

FREEDOM AND LOVE.

How delicious is the winning
Of a kiss at love's beginning,
When two mutual hearts are sighing
For the knot there's no untying!

Yet remember, midst your wooing,
Love has bliss, but love has ruing;
Other smiles may make you fickle,
Tears for other charms may trickle.

Love he comes, and Love he tarries,
Just as fate or fancy carries:
Longest stays, when sorest chidden;
Laughs and flies, when press'd and bidden.

Bind the sea to slumber stilly,
Bind its order to the lily,
Bind the aspen ne'er to quiver,
Then bind Love to last forever.

Love's a fire that needs renewal
Of fresh beauty for its fuel;
Love's wing moults when caged and captured
Only free he soars enraptured.

Can you keep the bee from ranging?
Or the ringdove's neck from changing?
No! nor fetter'd Love from dying
In the knot there's no untying.

—Thomas Campbell.

ROOSEVELT'S MEN MAY CAST BALLOT

Rules Committee Declares in Favor of Making County Primaries Open.

WILL BE HELD IN SEPTEMBER

Just as the Republican city committee opened the primaries to all Republicans who voted for President Roosevelt, even though they had voted against the organization in city, county and state affairs, so the Republican county committee will make the primaries free if the recommendations of the committee on rules are adopted, as they probably will be. The committee on rules met yesterday in the office of the chairman, William A. Magee, Jr.

Amendments to the rules were proposed at a recent meeting of the county committee and referred to the rules committee. The present county rules require voters at the primary elections to have voted the Republican ticket at the last two preceding elections; the amendment, as recommended yesterday by the committee, permits any Republican to vote at the primaries who voted for Roosevelt at the national election.

The committee did not look with favor upon the proposed change in the date of county, judicial, congressional and legislative primaries, which, according to the rules, are to be held in September. Congressmen Burke, Barchfeld and Graham want the primaries held on May 26, on the same date on which primaries for the election of delegates to the state convention are to be held. An amendment to that effect was proposed at the last meeting of the county committee, but the committee on rules yesterday declared against the amendment and in favor of holding the primaries next September, as usual.

The committee gave favorable recommendation to the amendment that all candidates for office at the primaries shall qualify 15 days before the primary election, instead of on the Tuesday preceding. The committee also recommended favorably the amendment assessing candidates for delegate to the state convention $25 each, to be paid when they announce tehir candidacy.

The "Republican Purifiers" met last night at the Hotel Henry, where dinner was served to 60 persons who had accepted the invitation to be present to discuss some plan of remodeling the city committee. Col. F. K. Patterson was chairman of the meeting and W. A. Roberts was the toastmaster at the dinner. Resolutions were adopted calling on all Republicans who have left the organization and voted fusion tickets in municipal and county affairs to rejoin the party. W. A. Roberts made a lengthy speech, in which he said all Republicans ought to get together and elect a city chairman not identified with factionalism. Ex-Senator William A. Magee and Col. A. J. Logan were invited to be present, but were not there.

DAINTY PARIS GOWNS BROUGHT TO PITTSBURGH

Spring Opening at Horne's Shows a Bewildering Array of Dresses and Millinery.

One could well imagine oneself in gay Paree should one wander into the up-to-date Parisian-like cafe, where the beautiful and seemingly marvelously designed gowns draped on the most perfect figures are displayed for the spring opening of the Joseph Horne Co. store, Penn avenue and Fifth street. Southern smilax forms a delicate curtain of green for the tall ceiling, while the walls are artistically done in panels of white and gold. Adding to the attractive effect are tall palms and small pieces of statuary scattered here and there.

In keeping with the Parisian effect of the beautiful apartment are the imported gowns, which tell of a master's touch. Notable among these are several duplicates worn by Madame Fallieres and other prominent women at the numerous festivities supplementing the recent election of M. Fallieres to the Frenche presidency. Worthy of special mention is an empire gown made of the richest silk. The extremely high corsage was made of pink satin, while fine net combined with filmy lace formed the small round yoke. This style promises to rival the much favored princess gown as the season grows.

Heavy cream lace formed another striking gown, which was accompanied by a three-quarter length coat of heavy white corded silk and lace. A dainty tufted ruffle of white chiffon formed a border around the lower edge of the cloak, giving a most chic effect. However, the essentially feminine admirer perhaps stopped longest at a particularly summery frock of French batiste with both the short-sleeved bodice and deeply flounced skirt, elaborately and almost mysteriously trimmed.

If all the world loves a lover, just as true it is that all the feminine world loves the lingerie waists, which are much in evidence at this particular opening. Many of these blouses have the yokes and sleeves fashioned of French valenciennes and heavy Cluny lace, which form a most fetching combination. The tiniest pin tucks add to their charm. That all have the very brief sleeve it almost goes without saying.

But it is in the millinery department that the Parisian atmosphere is most intoxicating. Here one may see the most elaborately trimmed chapeaus, together with severe but stylish shirtwaist hats, trimmed with only a wide ribbon band and a large Alsatian bow across the front. Then there are all the other new shapes, including the Peter Pan, the bobby little Johnny Jones sailor and the Empire. Right in keeping with these head coverings are the parasols and dainty little sunshades in a nearby apartment. Lovely white embroidered and hand-painted parasols in both white and colors, the popular war print silks, are most alluring to milady. In the way of handles the straight natural wood stick seems the favorite both as to beauty and durability.

Quite the newest finish in jewelry is the highest finished polished English gold.

The various other departments of this emporium are just as attractive in their way, but one must not forget that for art needlework, where a young Danish woman, who has devoted her life to the work, is in charge. One of her favorites is the dainty shadow embroidery over which maids and matrons alike rave. The new Rococo or ribbon embroideries which figure so prominently in the new pillows and cushions are here, and the Petaline in which the petals of the flowers are made separately, stuffed with cotton and embroidered to the pillow, prove equally alluring.

Kitchens and Their Personnel on a Modern Ocean Liner.

The new giant steamer Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, which will sail on her maiden voyage from Hamburg for New York, May 10, will have a catering establishment of really astonishing dimensions. The steamer will have no less than seven kitchens. Of these, the two main kitchens for passengers of the first and second cabins are located near the two main dining saloons on the union deck, the fifth of the seven decks of the steamer. Being of imposing spaciousness, they have each, besides a large first-class double-cooking range, two steam cookers, roasting ovens, iron plate warmers, large sideboards, etc. A separate kitchen, also of considerable dimensions and of the most perfect appointment, is installed for the Ritz Carlton restaurant, located on the second or Kaiser deck, which has also separate storerooms, refrigerators, etc. For wines, cold meats and fruit, separate pantries are provided. Large bars and liquor pantries are located near the smoking rooms of the first and second classes on the Kronprinz deck.

The number of the kitchen attendants and waiters is proportionate to the immensity of the catering establishment. There are two head cooks, two first, 14 second and two third cooks; three steam cooks, one ritual cook, nine other cooks and assistants, four confectioners, six bakers, four butchers, 24 cook's mates, also 22 dishwashers, silver and brass polishers, etc. One master of provisions, two comptrollers and five inspectors have the supervision over the supplies of provisions. At the head of the waiters are two head stewards, one steerage head steward, one baggagemaster and five head steward assistants. Subordinated to them are 238 stewards and stewardesses. The entire kitchen personnel and waiters, therefore, will reach the respectable number of 362.

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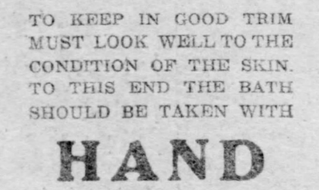

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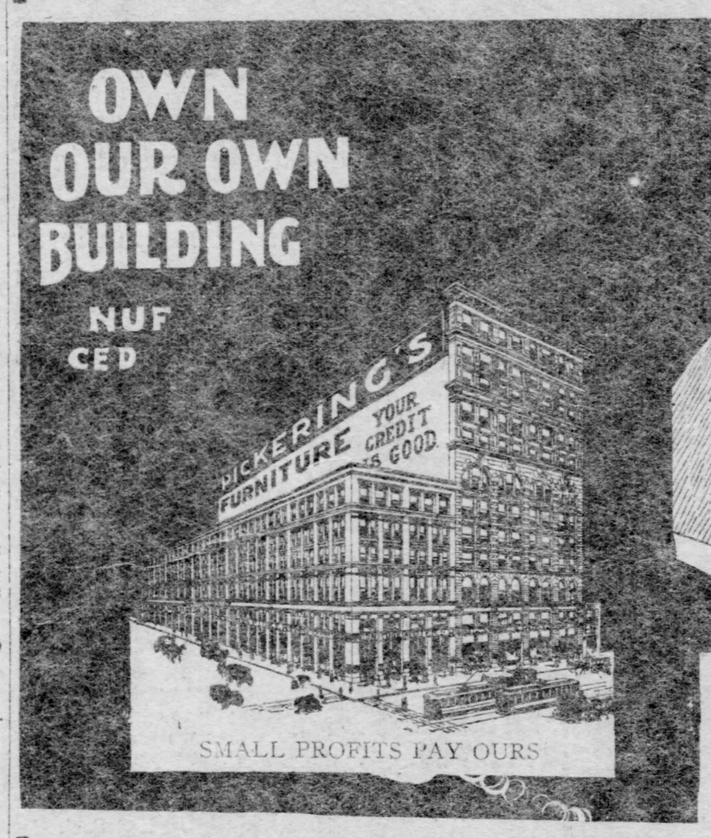

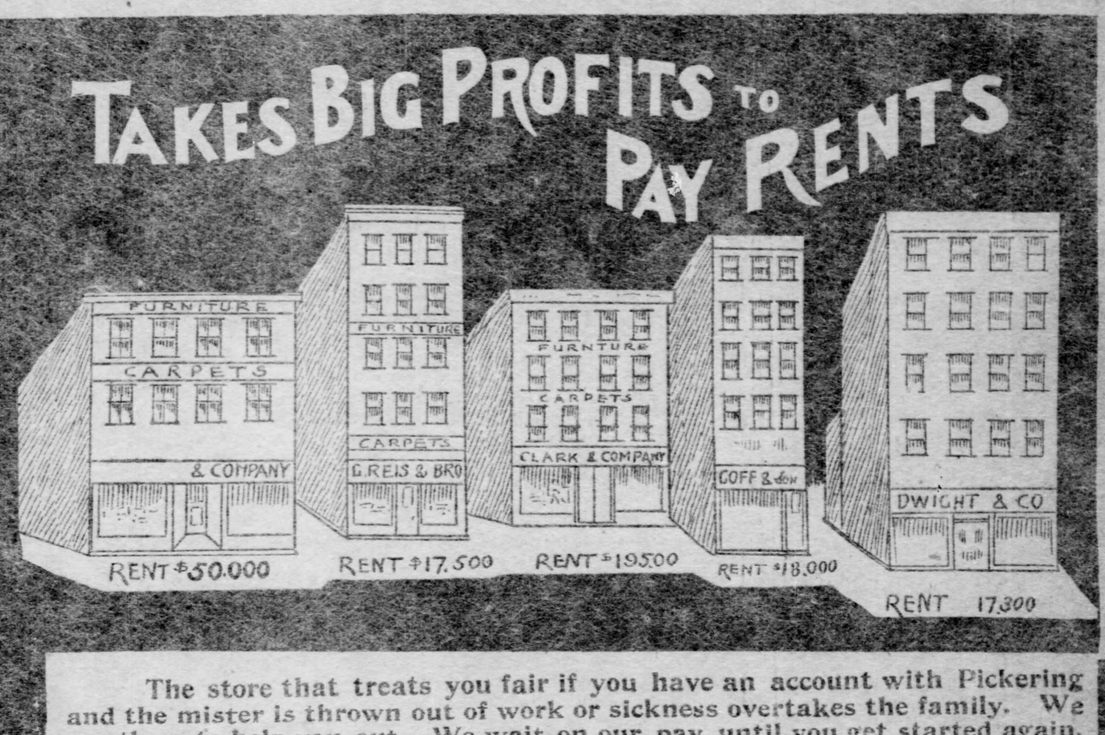

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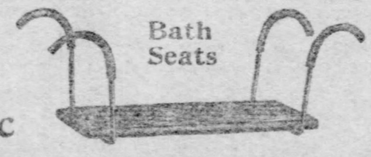

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(No. 215.)

AN ORDINANCE establishing the grade of Woods Run avenue, Eleventh and Fifteenth wards, from Brighton road to Perrysville avenue.

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the select and common councils of the city of Allegheny, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Woods Run avenue, Eleventh and Fifteenth wards, from Brighton road to Perrysville avenue, be and the same is hereby established as follows: Beginning at a point where the east curb line of Brighton road intersects the center line of Woods Run avenue, at an elevation of ninety-two and eighty-five one hundredths (92.85) feet above city datum; thence ascending at the rate of two (2) feet per hundred for a distance of three thousand six hundred and sixty-four (3,664) feet to the east curb line of Bismarck avenue, at an elevation of one hundred and sixty-six and thirteen one-hundredths (166.13) feet above city datum; thence ascending at the rate of three and twenty-five one hundredths (3.25) feet per hundred for a distance of one thousand and one hundred and seventy (1,170) feet to a point at an elevation of two hundred and four and fifteen one-hundredths (204.15) feet above city datum; thence ascending at the rate of eight and eighty-five one hundredths (8.85) feet per hundred for a distance of one thousand and five hundred and thirty-eight (1,538) feet to a point, at an elevation of three hundred and forty and twenty-six one hundredths (340.26) feet above city datum; thence ascending at the rate of ten and sixty-eight one hundredths (10.68) feet per hundred for a distance of one thousand and one hundred and thirty (1,130) feet to the west curb line of Perrysville avenue at an elevation of four hundred and sixty and ninety-five hundredths (460.95) feet above city datum.

Sec. 2. That so much of any ordinance as may conflict with or be supplied by the foregoing, be and the same is hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted into a law in councils this 30th day of March, A. D. 1906.

F. J. TORRANCE, President of Select Council.

Attest: LAFAYETTE WILLS, City Clerk. SAMUEL McELROY, President of Common Council. ROBERT DILWORTH, City Clerk.

Mayor's Office, City of Allegheny, Pa., March 31st, A. D. 1906. The above ordinance examined and approved.

JAMES G. WYMAN, Mayor.

IN the court of common pleas No. 3, No. 148, August term, 1905.

In the matter of the petition of the city of Allegheny for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the grading, paving and curbing of Shady avenue, from the bridge to Brighton road, Eleventh ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed, for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office, Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the sixteenth day of April, A. D. 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

F. L. RITTLEDGE, S. B. RIDAM, Viewers.

USE GAZETTE CLASSIFIED ADS

The Death Roll

William M. Wright.

William M. Wright, aged 58, special agent and adjuster for several large insurance companies, and who was well-known not only hereabouts, but in Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin, died of an apoplectic stroke at noon yesterday at his apartments in the Drury building, Allegheny. He was taken ill Sunday night, became unconscious Monday noon, and so remained until he breathed his last. He leaves, besides his widow, four grown sons, two of whom are insurance men. Mr. Wright was a life trustee of the Watch Tower Bible and Tract society of Allegheny. The funeral services will be held at Bible House chapel, 610 Arch street, Allegheny, at 2 p. m. tomorrow. The interment will be at the United cemeteries, West View, Allegheny.

Mrs. William F. Kalchthaler.

Mrs. Dora E. Kalchthaler, aged 24, wife of William F. Kalchthaler, died at the residence of her father-in-law, Frank Kalchthaler, 177 Thirty-eighth street, on Sunday. She came to this country from Germany when 4 years of age. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Beckman, prominent people of Lawrenceville. Four years ago she was married. She leaves two children, a boy and a girl. The funeral will be held this morning at the residence of her father-in-law, and services will follow at St. Augustine church at 9 a. m.

Daniel A. Fisher.

Daniel A. Fisher, aged 63, died yesterday of pneumonia, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. C. N. Hurlbert, in Russellwood avenue, McKees Rocks. Mr. Fisher served through the Rebellion as a member of the Sixty-first Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers. He is survived by his widow and the following children: David B., Mrs. D. M. Bryar, Mrs. J. L. Fisher, Mrs. C. N. Hurlbert, Bertrand H., and Mrs. Thomas Cuddy. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Lawyers Honor J. N. White.

The Allegheny County Bar association met yesterday afternoon and adopted resolutions on the death of Attorney John Newton White, who died suddenly at his home in Sewickley last Tuesday morning. The meeting was presided over by Judge Frazier. E. L. Davis, law partner of the deceased, and Thomas Patterson, delivering addresses eulogistic of the dead lawyer, who was a son of the late Judge White.

Mrs. Mary M. Harper.

Mrs. Mary M. Harper, aged 74, died at the home of her son-in-law, W. J. Norris, 5321 Hodson street, at 5:20 p. m. Monday. She was born in Tarentum, and had lived in that vicinity all her life. Her parents immigrated from Ireland to America, shortly after the war of 1812, and settled near Tarentum. She is survived by five children. Service will be held at her late home this afternoon and the interment will take place later at Tarentum.

Obituary Notes.

Mrs. Emma Kane died Monday at her home in Hart street, Wilkinsburg. She was born in Virginia 49 years ago. Four sons and two daughters survive her.

George B. Turner, aged 60, died at the residence of his son in Canton, S. D., last Sunday. Funeral services will be held in the church in West Sunbury at 1 p. m. tomorrow.

Charles A. Young, aged 22, died Monday at the home of his brother, W. S. Youngk, North avenue, Wilkinsburg. He leaves his father, Peter Youngk, and four sisters and five brothers.

Patrick McDonough, aged 70, of North Second street, Duquesne, died yesterday. He was a retired railroad man, and is survived by his widow and one sister, Mrs. Mary Giffen of Hazelwood.

Charles M. Smith, aged 54 years, is dead at his home, 181 Kline avenue, West Wilmerding. He was frequently employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company as a contractor. His widow and six children survive him.

John M. Evans, aged 51, the only son of Morgan Evans of Idlewood, died Monday evening. He was a member of the firm of Woodworth, Evans & Co., of Idlewood. He is survived by his parents and widow, Mary J. Evans, and by one sister, Mrs. R. H. Davies of Idlewood.

Mrs. Helen Hulsman, aged 68, wife of Charles Hulsman, a retired shoe merchant, died Monday at the family home, 1336 Rebecca street, Allegheny. She was born in Westphalia, Germany, and for the last 40 years had been a resident of Allegheny. Mrs. Hulsman was a member of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic church. She is survived by her husband and a number of children.

Mrs. May Bolsky, widow of Charles F. Bolsky, died at the residence of her mother, 983 Ninth avenue, Munhall, on Sunday, surrounded by the members of the family, and was not found dead as stated in an item printed yesterday morning. Mrs. Bolsky was the daughter of the late Bernard McGraw and Mary S. McGraw (nee McCandless), formerly of Forty-third street, city. The funeral services will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at St. John's Episcopal church, Main and Butler streets.

Mrs. Mary A. Robertson, aged 65, died yesterday at her home in Stanton avenue, Millvale, from heart failure. Her husband died about 16 years ago. She was a life long member of the Presbyterian church. She is survived by one daughter.

DEATHS IN NEARBY TOWNS.

FINDLAY—Richard Sutcliffe, one of the first soldiers wounded in the civil war, is dead here, aged 65 years. He served in Co. C, One Hundred and Fifteenth Ohio volunteer infantry.

FINDLAY—Anderson S. Apgar, a pioneer resident of Hancock country, is dead at McComb. He was a veteran of the civil war.

YORK—William F. Weiser, aged 53, a retired banker, is dead from heart failure. He was born in New York and was a son of the late Erastus H. Weiser. His mother was a sister of the late Gen. B. Franklin, Samuel R. Franklin of Washington and Col. W. S. Franklin of Baltimore. He never married.

NEW CASTLE—George L. Kerr, aged 82, is dead. He was born at Mifflintown and is survived by his widow and these children: Lafayette, Ellis G., Louis Kerr and Mrs. Eva S. Brown.

NEW CASTLE—John S. Moore, aged 70, is dead at his home near Carbon, this county. He was a life-long Presbyterian. He leaves these children: Mrs. Maud Dixon of California, Mrs. Kerr of Missouri, Mrs. Walter Graham of Mahoning township, Robert and Nathaniel of Missouri, John of St. Louis, Miss Lydia of Youngstown and Miss Orpha at home.

SHARON—Mrs. Lucy Albin, aged 74, is dead. She is survived by one daughter, Florence A., principal of the Central school building.

SHARON—Mrs. Sarah McLain, aged 77, is dead. She was born in Ireland and lived in Sharon 28 years. Four children survive: Thomas, editor of the Mercer Press; John of Youngstown; Mrs. Ella McDonald of Warren, O., and Mrs. William Stillings of Sharon.

NEW BRIGHTON—Mrs. Henry Marburger, aged 55, is dead. She was a member of the United Presbyterian church. Her husband and two children survive.

YOUNGSTOWN—Mrs. Susan Edwards, widow of the Rev. John Edwards, and a pioneer of Mahoning county, is dead at the home of her grandson, J. Howard Edwards. Mrs. Edwards was born in Wales 94 years ago. Three grandchildren, J. Howard Edwards, Blaine Edwards and Mrs. Bruce Campbell survive her.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

W. S. Kellenberger, Ada Wilkes; Herman Sheffler, Fanny Meyer, all of Pittsburgh.

Leon V. Scott, Edith L. Weithercoat, Bakerstown.

John Rusmeck, Annie B. Emmett, Wexford.

M. W. Neff, West Bridgewater; Cora E. Johnson, Glassport; Sidney W. Collins, Chicago; Emma C. Cain, Pittsburgh; William E. Jones, Bellevue; Nellie D. Williams, Pittsburgh.

DIED.

BAKER—On Tuesday, April 3, 1906, at 8:15 a. m., Mrs. ELIZA JONES BAKER, aged 68 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, Hazelwood and Greenfield avenues, on Thursday at 2 p. m.

EVANS—On Monday evening, April 2, 1906, JOHN M. EVANS, husband of Mary J. Evans and son of Morgan and Jane Evans, aged 51 years.

Funeral services at the residence of his brother-in-law, R. H. Davies, 186 South Linwood avenue, Idlewood, this evening at 8 p. m. Interment at Chartiers cemetery on Thursday at 2 p. m.

FELLABOM—On Sunday, April 1, 1906, at 10:35 p. m., at the family residence, Hays borough, Pa., WILLIAM M., husband of Mary Newlin Fellabom, aged 59 years.

Funeral on Wednesday afternoon, at 1 o'clock. Services at the Hays Methodist Episcopal church, at 1:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FERGUSON—On Monday, April 2, 1906, at 12:30 p. m., JOHN FERGUSON, in his 75th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, Highwood cemetery, Brighton road, Allegheny City, on Wednesday, April 4, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private.

JEFFRIES—On Monday, April 2, 1906, at 7:40 p. m., at the family residence, Bellwood, Pa., CAPT. WILLIAM B. JEFFRIES, beloved husband of Eliza Jane Jeffries (nee McIntyre), aged 63 years.

Funeral services at Presbyterian church, Belwood, this evening at 8 p. m. and at Long Run Presbyterian church, Circleville (via Irwin), Pa., Thursday at 11 a. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Long Run cemetery.

KANE—On Monday, April 2, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., at her late residence, 35 Hart street, Wilkinsburg, Pa., Mrs. EMMA KANE, aged 48 years 7 months 6 days.

Funeral services at Calvary Protestant Episcopal church, corner of Penn avenue and Station street, East End, today at 2 p. m. Friends of the family respectfully invited to attend. Interment Woodlawn cemetery.

KERFOOT—On Tuesday morning, April 3, 1906, at her residence, No. 917 Aiken avenue, Pittsburgh, Mrs. ELIZA M. KERFOOT, widow of the Rt. Rev. Dr. Kerfoot, late bishop of Pittsburgh, in the 85th year of her age.

Funeral services at the Church of the Ascension, Ellsworth avenue, on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

ROBERTSON—On Monday, April 2, 1906, at 8:30 p. m., MARY M., widow of Robert Robertson, Jr., in her 45th year.

Funeral service at the home of her father, Henry Hoehl, Sr., No. 511 Stanton avenue, Millvale borough, on Thursday, April 5, at 2 p. m. Interment private later. Kindly omit flowers.

STAIGER—Suddenly, on Monday, April 2, 1906, at 2:30 p. m., MARGARET, daughter of John M. and Margaret A. Staiger (nee Pohrer), aged 3 years 2 months 25 days, at the family residence, 1528 Howard avenue, Allegheny.

Funeral services at the Tenth U. P. church, corner Middle and Second street, Allegheny, on Wednesday, at 2:30 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private at a later hour.

[Chicago (Ill.) and St. Louis (Mo.) papers please copy.]

WRIGHT—On Tuesday, April 3, 1906, WILLIAM MORRIS WRIGHT, aged 58 years.

Funeral services at the Bible House chapel, 610 Arch street, Allegheny, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

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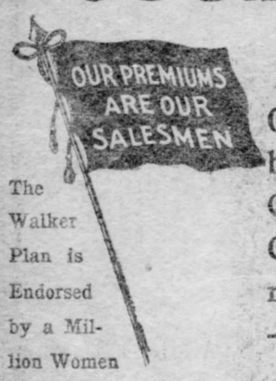

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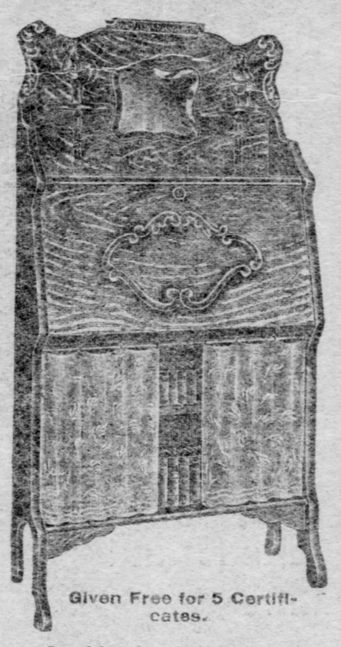

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RUSH BEGINS FOR CITY HALL JOBS

Twentieth Warders Expect Director Clark to Give Them the Best Plums.

CHANGES IN BUREAU CHIEFS

The rush of office-seekers and job hunters to city hall began early yesterday morning, notwithstanding Mayor Guthrie's announcement that civil service would be instituted in all departments and that the present employes are under its protection. The liveliest place in city hall was the office of Director James W. Clark in the public works department. It was crowded the entire day. The demand from the Twentieth ward, where Director Clark resides, was particularly strong. It is stated there is an application from the Twentieth ward for almost every job in the public works department.

Former councilman A. G. Roenigk is said to be an applicant for either superintendent of the bureau of highways and sewers or of the water assessments bureau. C. W. Helmold was at Clark's office yesterday to present the applications of some of his friends.

Director Clark yesterday appointed Harry A. Snively of the Twentieth ward as his chief clerk. Finley Torrens, the present chief clerk, may be retained in a minor capacity. A clean sweep is expected of every bureau head in the public works department except in the water and filtration bureaus. Charles A. Finley of the surveys bureau, A. W. Burk of the construction bureau and John A. Long of the city property bureau are regarded as personal appointees of former Director Bigelow and there are several applications for each job.

Barclay Has to Go.

W. S. Wakefield is a candidate for superintendent of either the surveys or the construction bureau. James Chalfant, assistant superintendent of surveys bureau, is also an applicant for either position. It is stated that Charles Harrison, superintendent of the bureau of highways and sewers, is slated to go. The name of W. R. Williams, superintendent of the city farm at Marshalsea, is mentioned in connection with the highways and sewers bureau. Edward Fried, an assistant superintendent, would like to be promoted, but would not refuse his present job if he cannot do better.

George A. Barclay, superintendent of the bureau of light, is expected to be removed. A Twentieth ward man is an applicant for the position. Another applicant is James H. Wall of the Thirty-fourth ward, now an assistant engineer in the construction bureau.

Former Councilman John Martin of the Fourth ward desires to be retained as dockmaster, and called yesterday to see Director Clark. Charles E. Locke, clerk in the mayor's office, is said to be an applicant for the position of chief clerk in the department of public safety. Locke is now drawing $1,500 a year. The safety chief clerkship pays $2,000 a year, but the chief clerk is also the secretary of the police and fire boards, which is said to net him at least $900 a year additional. Besides this he acts as notary public and gets fees from applicants for civil service examination. It is reported the incumbent, Elias John, is to be removed.

The recording clerkship in the city clerk's office, worth $1,800 a year, is vacant owing to the election of Robert Clark as assistant city clerk. The job may be given to H. W. Minnemeyer, who was defeated for city clerk.

Ridgway Has Busy Day.

Director Frank Ridgway inspected the safety building, attended the police hearings and watched the policemen at revolver practice yesterday. Then he was introduced to the superintendents and their assistants. He would not discuss the policy he intends to pursue. When asked about gambling, speakeasies and disorderly houses, he said:

"These are questions I will not discuss at present. The public will be able to determine by my actions as to the policy I will pursue. Mayor Guthrie wants a good, clean administration and I am here to carry out his views. I understand what the mayor wants and I will execute his orders in every detail. The police and detective bureaus are under the supervision of Superintendent McQuaide. I am fortunate in having that efficient officer to look after these departments for me."

Superintendent McQuaide assumed charge of the police and detective bureaus yesterday. He consulted Assistant Superintendent of Police Edward Kennelly and the inspectors of the five police districts about the manner he wanted them to carry out his orders in the future. It is the intention to have an assistant appointed for Superintendent McQuaide. Detective Cecil G. Rice will be the man named if McQuaide has the appointment to make and he will have charge of the detective bureau.

MANY APPOINTMENTS MADE IN ALLEGHENY

Lengthy Conference of Mayor and Department Heads Precedes the Announcements.

After a lengthy conference between Allegheny's new mayor, Charles F. Kirschler, and his cabinet yesterday morning, the following appointments were announced:

Department of public works: Highways and sewers—Superintendent, T. L. Pillow, reappointed; assistant superintendents, John Yochum and Charles A. Michel; chief clerk, Dale McCormick. Engineering and surveys—Recorder of deeds, William Bothwell; general clerk, W. P. Carner; chief inspector, James Anderson. Public works office—Chief clerk, David Caduan. Superintendent of markets—Charles E. Kirkbride. Wharfmaster—Louis Geyer. Water supplies and distribution—Superintendent, James Linwood Brown; chief clerk, J. Riley Smith. Riverview park—General foreman, James McFarland.

Department of public safety: Bureau of police—Superintendent, John Glenn; assistant superintendent, Thomas C. Johnson; chief clerk, S. Louis Dunlap; messenger, David Johnson; police surgeon, Dr. H. S. Nicholson. Bureau of health—Superintendent, Dr. H. K. Beatty; chief clerk, M. C. Wylie; meat and milk inspector, R. G. Ellison; plumbing inspector, Thomas Lambert; physician, Dr. W. W. Cole; veterinary surgeon, Dr. William Nicholson. Bureau of building inspection—Inspector, James H. Cochran; assistant inspector, William D. Pool. Police magistrates—Central station, W. A. Hadfield; Woods Run station, George H. England; detective, C. A. Edeburn.

Department of charities—Chief Clerk, James F. Bailey; examiner, Charles Young; inspectors, John Wettoch and the Rev. Dr. Duncan McGregor; janitor, Charles Reining; poor physicians, Dr. S. M. Reinhart, Dr. E. X. Straessley and Dr. Fred Relf.

These appointments are all that will be given out for a time. The appointment of a captain of police was deferred, but it is said upon good authority that Scott Woods, a guard in the penitentiary, will land the place. This is a surprise, since it was thought that Capt. Adam Neumar, the incumbent, would be reappointed.

The mayor, Director Samuel Grenet and Superintendent John Glenn will confer tomorrow and the regulation of the evils of the city will be the principal topic of discussion. For many years the First and Fourth wards contained many dives, homes of gamblers and crooks, and it is against these the mayor will direct his efforts. All keepers of disorderly houses in West Robinson and Lecock streets will be ordered to move. It is said the Pittsburgh Railways Company has insisted upon this. Many complaints have come from passengers who are compelled to use these lines and who objected to the open display made by the houses along the streets.

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LONG STIRS UP WAR IN SENATE

White House Amendment to Rate Bill Causes Many Questions and Comments.

KNOX SUGGESTS CHANGE IN IT

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—A merry row was stirred up in the senate today over the White House conference on Saturday at which a court review amendment to the Hepburn railroad rate bill was decided upon. It came up during the speech of Senator Long of Kansas who yesterday presented the administration amendment and today supported it with a speech.

Senator Bailey, the Democratic leader, referred to the newspaper reports of that conference in which several Republican senators, Attorney General Moody and two of the interstate commerce commissioners were present, and inquired if the amendment submitted by Mr. Long was framed at that conference. Mr. Long replied that it was not framed there, that it was drafted outside the White House and that it was introduced by him on his own responsibility and was subject to the same amendments and suggestions as any other amendment.

"I am glad it is denied that this amendment was drafted at the conference at the White House," said Senator Bailey. "It would seem odd to me in view of the fact that it is proposed to pass this bill as an nonpartisan measure, that the President should call in to advise upon so important an amendment a few senators all from his own party. If it had been stated that the conference was responsible for the amendment I would have felt bound to seriously object."

Senator Knox proposed an amendment to the amendment of Mr. Long. "Accepting the statement of the senator from Kansas that he is responsible for this amendment," said Mr. Knox, "I would inquire if he would be willing to accept this amendment to it. After the word constitution, add 'or the laws of the United States' so that the courts would be given jurisdiction to inquire whether the order complained of is beyond the authority of the commission or in violation of the rights of the carrier secured by the constitution or the laws of the United States."

This Mr. Knox declared would make it in accord with the second section of the third article of the constitution which provides that the judicial power shall extend to all cases arising under the constitution, the laws of the United States and treaties. Mr. Knox also inquired if Senator Long would accept an amendment providing that a shipper dissatisfied with an order of the commission could bring suit to determine whether his rights had been violated. To both of these propositions Mr. Long replied that he could not accept such amendment now as the proposition was not open to amendment, but that if Mr. Knox would present them at the proper time they would be considered.

The opinion of Justice Brewer of the supreme court delivered on Monday in the Michigan tax cases has roused some doubt among senators as to the right of congress to delegate legislative power to a commission. They have asked Senator Knox to examine the opinion carefully and give them his views on it. This Mr. Knox promised to do.

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MARINE HOSPITAL PLAN IN DANGER

Bill Introduced to Prevent Erection of Building and Re-Transfer Arsenal Grounds.

SALE OF THE LAND POSSIBLE

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM L. W. STRAYER, Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—A bill was introduced today by Representative Hepburn of Iowa, which, if it becomes a law, will prevent the erection of a marine hospital in Pittsburgh.

Representative Dalzell got through congress an appropriation of $125,000 for this purpose, and, later five acres of the arsenal grounds were transferred from the war department to the treasury department as a site for the hospital. Mr. Hepburn's bill provides that the land shall be transferred to the war department, if that department has use for it, and if it does not, the land shall be sold. It also provides that the $125,000 appropriated to build a hospital shall be transferred back to the treasury.

The same sort of a bill was introduced for Buffalo where it is proposed to build a marine hospital and for which an appropriation has been made. This action is not in the nature of a discrimination against Pittsburgh but is part of the policy of the treasury department looking to the abandonment of all marine hospitals and building no new ones. It is claimed by the treasury department these hospitals are too expensive to maintain and that the patients can be cared for in other hospitals for less than a dollar a day each. Secretary Shaw is in favor of abolishing the marine hospital service and he is strongly opposed to building any new hospitals.

Representatives Dalzell and Burke were not informed in advance of the action of Mr. Hepburn in introducing the bill. If the people of Pittsburgh still want the hospital it is probable the representatives will do all in their power to prevent the cancellation of the appropriation. In any event there is doubt about the bill coming to a vote at this session. It has been referred to the committee on interstate and foreign commerce and upon being reported will go to the calendar of the house. In the rush of business from now until the end of the session it is not probable that opportunity will be given to call up the bill for action.

RIVER IS FALLING.

Towing Stage Still and More Coal Will Be Sent Out Today.

The rivers continue to fall, but the water is still ideal for tows. The stage last evening at Davis Island was 11.7 feet and falling slowly. The remainder of the week will see a great deal of coal go southward.

The Henry Lourey came in last night with a load of empties. This morning the boat will start south again with a tow of 16 barges and 10 boats.

The Raymond Horner and the Boaz are expected in from Louisville some time today with empties, and if the stage is good for tows they will be again sent out.

The Liberty, which was sold a few days ago to Evansville people, left yesterday for the south, where it will be used in excursion trade.

At a meeting of Harbor No. 25, Masters and Pilots' association, the bill recently introduced by Representative William Lorimer of Illinois for the appropriation of $31,000,000 for the completion of a 14-foot canal from St. Louis to Chicago, was indorsed. If this project is completed it will give Pittsburgh water connection with all the Great lakes.

Youngstown People Start for Europe.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Among the passengers who sailed on the Cunard line steamship Slavonia for Gibraltar, Naples, Trieste and Fiume, were Charles N. Crandall, Miss Bell Crandall, Mrs. E. J. Campbell and Mrs. Sarah A. Reedy of Youngstown, O.

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 11.3 feet and the river was falling.

CINCINNATI, O., April 3.—At 8 p. m. today the stage was 49.4 feet and falling. Clear and warmer. Today's departures of packets from the port of Cincinnati were: Virginia for Pittsburgh. The Coal City arrived today and returned to Pittsburgh with a tow of empties. The Samuel Brown took no chances of making the run of the bridges and lanched above. The J. B. Finley, Jos. B. Williams and Tom Dodsworth went to Louisville.

MARIETTA—Twenty-five feet and falling. Clear, pleasant. Keystone State down; Ben Hur up.

WARREN—Four feet 3 inches and falling. Clear, mild.

GREENSBORO—Nine feet 8 inches and falling. Clear and warmer.

OIL CITY—Five feet and falling. Clear and mild.

STEUBENVILLE—Eighteen feet and falling. Clear and cool. Down—Valiant, Rival, Jim Wood, Voyager, W. W. O'Neill and Volunteer.

PARKERSBURG—Twenty-six feet and falling. Clear and warm. Ben Hur for Pittsburgh; Keystone State for Cincinnati.

WHEELING—Nineteen feet 8 inches and falling. Departed—Keystone State, Cincinnati; Queen City, Pittsburgh. Down with coal—W. H. Flint, Valiant, Jim Wood, Voyager, W. W. O'Neill and Volunteer. Up with empties—Raymond Horner, Crescent and Boaz.

MORGANTOWN—Nine feet 3 inches and falling. Clear.

POINT PLEASANT—Thirty-five feet and falling. Clear.

GALLIPOLIS—Thirty-seven feet and falling. Clear and pleasant.

Dr. Stanton to Lecture at Trinity.

The Rev. Dr. W. A. Stanton, pastor of the Shadyside Baptist church, will deliver in the new parish house of Trinity Episcopal church, Sixth avenue, this evening, the last lecture in the course on the general topic of "Civic and Social Righteousness," arranged by Trinity's popular rector, the Rev. Dr. Alfred W. Arundel. Dr. Stanton's subject will be "The Church and Social Ideals" and will deal in plain terms with many of the social problems which are engrossing a large share of the attention of thoughtful men and women today.

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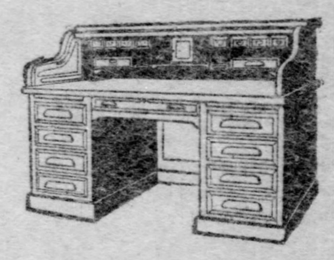

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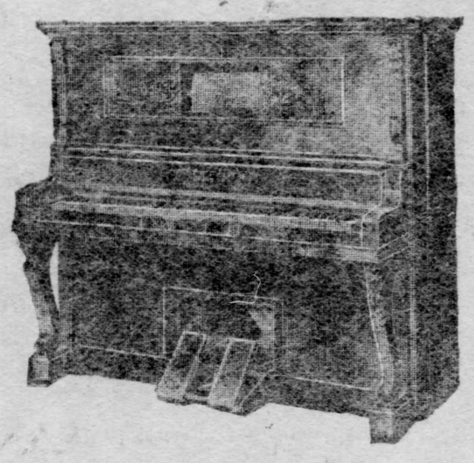

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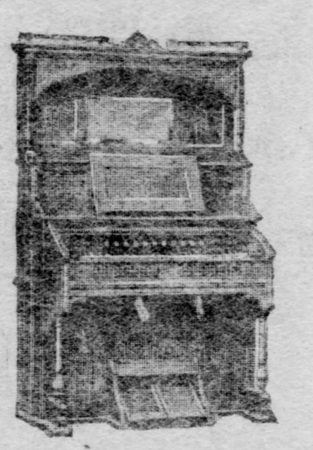

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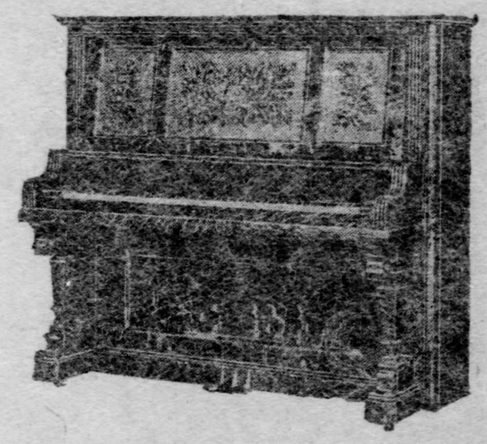

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We want the name Ambuhl Brothers to be uppermost in the minds of everyone in Pittsburgh and vicinity wherever a piano is thought of, and our determination to have it so has resulted in the following remarkable offer:

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See how many words can be made out of the letters in the words Ambuhl Brothers, Pianos.

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The person making the next highest number of correct words will receive a World-Renowned $450 Kimball Upright Piano absolutely free.

The person making the third highest list of correct words will receive a new $110 Kimball Reed Organ absolutely free.

Each of the contestants sending in the next five largest lists of correct words will be given Prize Certificates for $100, and following this in group of five, each of the contestants sending in the next five largest lists of correct words will be given Prize Certificates for Five Dollars less than the preceding prizes until ten groups of five have been distributed, the same to apply on any new Kimball or Sterling piano in our stock, no matter what the price.

The fifty next highest lists of correct words will be given Prize Certificates for $25, to apply on any new piano, new organ, or used piano in our stock.

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All answers should be mailed or delivered to our address, 632 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh, Pa., not later than that date. The result will be announced to the successful contestants about one week later.

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See how many words you can make out of the fourteen different letters in the words, Ambuhl Brothers, Pianos (A-M-B-U-H-L-R-O-T-E-S-P-I-N), that is, not using the same letter more than once in the same word.

1—All lists must be alphabetically arranged.

2—A word cannot be used more than once, even though it has different meanings.

3—Do not use plurals.

4—Any word now in use in the English language (Webster authority) will be counted, except proper names, foreign words, names of persons, towns or places, or prefixes and suffixes.

5—State if you now have a piano or organ or piano player.

6—Add your list when completed, and state number of words.

7—Sign your full name and give postoffice address.

Neither Ambuhl Bros.' employes nor any member of their families are eligible for this contest. To all others it is entirely open.

Note—In order to allay the spirit of skepticism so apt to exist in the minds of many regarding the honesty of purpose and integrity of execution of those promoting a plan of this kind, we would gladly refer to those who have recently won beautiful pianos from us in similar word contests, without the cost of anything but a little time spent in making out their lists of words, and with whom anyone is at liberty to communicate.

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Grace R. Berlin, 912 Wallace Ave., Wilkinsburg, Pa.
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(Continued from Yesterday.)

"The priest from Brechy. He will surely find words to shake even the firmest resolution. He can speak in the name of that God, who, even on the cross, forgave those who crucified him."

For one moment longer the countess hesitated; and then finally overcoming the last rebellious impulses of pride, she said, "Well, I will call the priest."

"And I, madam, swear I will keep my promise," answered Denise; but the countess stopped her, and making a supreme effort over herself, rejoined—"No; I will try to save Jacques without making conditions. Let him be yours. He loves you, and you were ready to sacrifice your life for his sake. He forsakes me; but I sacrifice my honor to him. Farewell!"

And hastening to the door, while Denise returned to her friends, she called the priest from Brechy.

CHAPTER II.

M. Daubigeon, the public prosecutor, learnt next morning from his substitute that the proceedings in the Boiscoran case were null and void on account of a fatal error in form. The counsel of the defense had lost no time, for after spending the whole night in consultation, they had already made an application for a new trial. Worthy M. Daubigeon took no pains to conceal his satisfaction. "Ah," cried he, "this will worry my friend Galpin, and clip his wings considerably; and yet I frequently called his attention to the lines of Horace, in which he speaks of Phaeton's sad fate, and says:

"Terret ambustus Phaeton avaras
Spes * * *'

But he would not listen to me, forgetting, that, without prudence, force is a danger.

'Vis consili expers mole ruit sua.'

So there he is now, in great difficulty, I am sure."

Speaking in this fashion, the public prosecutor hastened to dress, intending to go and see M. Galpin-Daveline without delay, ostensibly with the object of accurately learning all the details, but, in reality, in order to enjoy to his heart's content the ambitious investigating magistrate's discomfiture.

He found him in a furious rage. "I am disgraced," exclaimed M. Galpin-Daveline; "I am ruined; I am lost. All my prospects, all my hopes are gone. I shall never be forgiven for such an oversight."

To look at M. Daubigeon, you would have thought he was sincerely distressed. "Is it really true," he said with an air of assumed pity—"is it really true that you made this unlucky mistake?"

"Yes, alas it is! I forgot one of those wretched details which a schoolboy knows by heart. Can you understand it? And to say that no one noticed my inconceivable blindness! Neither the accusation chamber nor the advocate-general, nor the presiding judge, ever said a word about it. It is my fate. And that is to be the result of all my labors. Everybody no doubt, said, 'Oh! M. Galpin has the case in hand; he knows all about it; no need to look after the matter when such a man has to deal with it.' And here I am. Oh! I could almost kill myself."

"The more so," replied M. Daubigeon, "since the case hung on a mere thread yesterday."

The investigating magistrate gnashed his teeth. "Yes, on a mere thread," he replied, "thanks to M. Domini," whose weakness I cannot comprehend, and who did not at all know, or was not willing to know, how to make the most of the evidence. But it was Du Lopt de la Gransiere's fault quite as much. Why did he drag politics into the affair? And whom did he want to hit? Why, M. Magloire, a man whom everybody respects and who had three warm personal friends among the jurymen. I told him beforehand that he would get into trouble. But there are people who won't listen. M. de la Gransiere wants to be elected himself. It is the monomania of the hour; everybody wants to be a deputy. I wish heaven would confound all ambitious men!"

For the first time in his life, and no doubt for the last time also, the public prosecutor sincerely rejoiced at another's misfortune. Apparently taking a savage pleasure in probing his colleague's wounds he now remarked—"No doubt M. Folgat's speech had something to do with it."

"Oh, no! nothing at all."

"But he was brilliantly successful."

"He merely took people by surprise with his big voice, and grand, rolling sentences."

"But, still——"

"Why, what did he say, after all? That the prosecution did not know the real secret of the case. That is absurd!"

"The new judges may not think so, however."

"We shall see."

"This time M. de Boiscoran's defense will be very different. He will spare nobody. He is down now, and cannot fall any lower.

'Qui jacet in terra non habet unde
Cadat.'"

"That may be. But he also risks having a less indulgent jury, and not getting off with 20 years."

"What do his counsel say?"

"I don't know. But I have just sent my clerk to find out; and, if you choose to wait——"

M. Daubigeon did wait, and he did well; for M. Mechinet came in soon afterward, outwardly with a long face, but inwardly much delighted. "Well?" asked M. Galpin, eagerly. The clerk shook his head, and, in a melancholy voice, replied, "I have never seen anything like this. How fickle public opinion is, after all! The day before yesterday M. de Boiscoran could not have passed through the town without being mobbed. If he showed himself today, they would carry him in triumph. He has been condemned, and now he is a martyr. It is known already that the sentence is void, and people are delighted. My sisters have just told me that the ladies of Sauveterre propose to give the Marchioness de Boiscoran and Mademoiselle de Chandore some public proof of their sympathy. The members of the bar, too, will invite M. Folgat to a public dinner."

"How monstrous!" exclaimed M. Galpin-Daveline.

"Don't you know," said M. Daubigeon, "the opinions of mankind are more fickle and changeable than the waves of the sea."

But, interrupting the quotation, M. Galpin asked his clerk, "Well, what else?"

"I gave M. de la Gransiere the letter you sent me with."

"And what did he say?"

"I found him in consultation with the president, M. Domini. He took the letter, glanced at it rapidly, and said, in a cold tone, 'All right.' To tell the truth, I thought that he was in reality furious, in spite of his calm, stiff air."

The magistrate looked utterly dismayed. "I can't stand it," he said with a deep sigh. "These men with poison, not blood in their veins, never forgive one."

"But the day before yesterday, you thought very highly of him."

"Oh, the day before yesterday he did not look upon me as the cause of a great misfortune."

M. Mechinet now spoke again. "After leaving M. de la Gransiere," he said, "I went to the court house, and heard the great news, which has set the town agog. The Count de Claudieuse is dead."

M. Daubigeon and M. Galpin-Daveline exchanged a glance, and exclaimed, in the same breath, "Good heaven! Is that true?"

"He breathed his last this morning, just before 6 o'clock. I saw his body in the advocate general's private room. The priest from Brechy was there, with two priests of the town. They were waiting for a bier to have him carried to his house."

"Poor man!" murmured M. Daubigeon.

"But I heard a great deal more," Mechinet added, "from the attendant who was on duty last night. He told me, that when the trial was over, and it became known that the Count de Claudieuse was likely to die, the priest from Brechy came, and asked to be allowed to offer him the last consolations of his church. However, the countess refused to admit him to her husband's bedside. The attendant was amazed at this; but suddenly Mademoiselle de Chandore appeared, and sent word to the countess that she wanted to speak with her."

"Is it possible?"

"Quite certain. They remained for more than a quarter of an hour. What did they say? The attendant told me he was dying with envy to know; but he could hear nothing, because the priest from Brechy was all the while kneeling before the door and praying. When Mademoiselle de Chandore came away, she looked terribly excited. Then the countess called in the priest, and he stayed with the count till he died."

M. Daubigeon and M. Galpin-Daveline had not yet recovered from the amazement into which this story had thrown them, when somebody knocked timidly at the door. "Come in!" cried Mechinet.

The door opened, and a sergeant of gendarmes appeared. "I have been sent by the advocate general," he said, "to tell you we have just caught Frumence Cheminot."

"The fellow who escaped from jail?"

"Yes. We were about to carry him back there, when he told us that he had a secret to reveal, a very important, urgent secret, concerning the condemned prisoner, Boiscoran."

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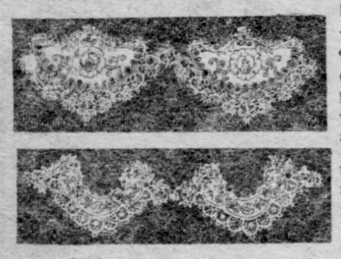

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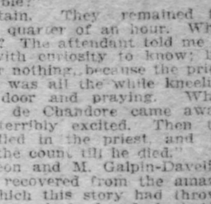

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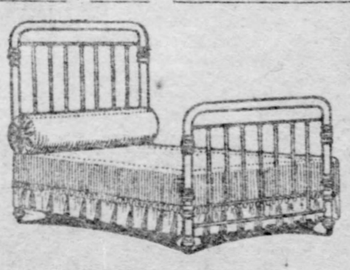

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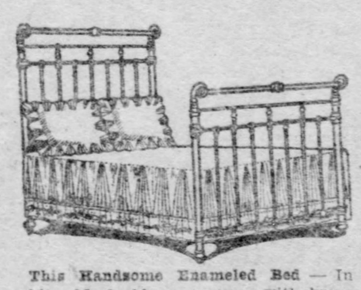

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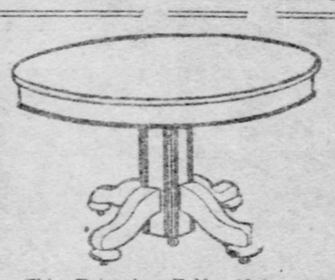

This Extension Table—Made of solid oak, with an ornamental pedestal base supported by four massive feet—worth $16, becomes a foremost April feature at..... 10.69

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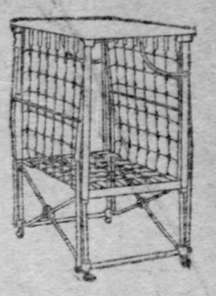

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LAST GAME AT HOT SPRINGS

Pirates Will Leave Their Training Grounds This Morning to Go Barnstorming.

RAIN INTERFERES WITH SPORT

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., April 3.—(Special.)—President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh club is indignant concerning a publication in a Cincinnati newspaper charging him with tampering with Pitcher Dineen. He declares that it is a lie out of the whole cloth; that he did not suggest to Dineen that he might get more money from Pittsburgh by continuing to hold out, and that he has not even talked to Dineen here. The fact that Dineen is in Hot Springs appears to furnish the only basis for the dope dream of the Cincinnati newspaper man. It is generally understood here that Dineen's salary has been cut and that he held out for a restoration of all or a part of it. Mr. Dreyfuss is not disposed to drop the matter, and if he continues his present humor he will demand proof of or retraction of the story.

While discussing the new Pirate recruits tonight Mr. Dreyfuss referred to the impression among minor league managers that Pittsburgh will not carry certain men who have been drafted from the minors. Each mail brings requests for players, and Tommy Sheehan's appears to be regarded generally as a crackajack infielder, as not less than 10 clubs have to date asked Dreyfuss for his services. "None of them can have Sheehan," he said, "but I cannot go around with a bell telling the baseball people I want to keep him."

The Regulars and Yanigans finished their ante-season series this afternoon at Whittington park, and the Regulars are again easy pennant winners in the Hot Springs league. Sam Leever, deposed captain of the Colts, has doped out a lot of figures to prove that the substitution of Otis Clymer for himself was an unwise move.

Today's game was played before a handful of spectators, and terminated in the seventh inning during a rainstorm. The Bloomer Girls were practicing at the park when the Pirates arrived and they furnished considerable amusement for the players. Hans Wagner posed in the center of a group of five bloomer girls and requested the newspaper man not to use the photograph. The girls appeared to be very proud of the honor of being snapped with the greatest living baseball player, but the big German is worried over the sugestion of one of the Pirates that the manager of the bloomer girls may use the picture on his paper.

An abundance of bingling distinguished the last game, but the atmosphere was so raw that neither Willis nor Phillippe took any especial pains to puzzle the batsmen. Both were closely following Capt. Clarke's instructions to take care of their salary arms. Both Sheehan and Meier did fast work in the infield, but the feature of the struggle was a one-hand running catch by Flaherty of a long fly off Clarke's bat.

Tonight preparations are being made for the barnstorming tour. All except the squad whose names were announced a few days ago, will depart in the morning for Little Rock, and thence go to Memphis and Nashville. There will be plenty of work for the youngsters on the trip, the weather permitting. Today's score:

Regulars.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Yanigans.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Clarke, l..	1	1	0	0	0	Sheehan, 3.	1	2	1	4	0
Ganley, r..	0	0	2	0	0	Clymer, r..	0	0	1	0	0
B'mont, m.	0	1	3	1	0	Meier, s....	0	1	0	2	0
Wagner, s.	2	2	0	1	0	A.Wag'r, 2.	1	1	2	3	1
Nealon, l..	1	3	1	7	0	Carisch, c..	1	1	7	2	0
Leach, 3...	1	1	1	1	0	Deitz, 1....	1	2	11	0	1
Ritchey, 2.	2	2	1	2	0	Frye, m....	1	2	1	0	0
Smith, c...	0	1	3	0	1	Flaherty, l.	1	1	1	0	0
Willis, p..	0	0	0	1	0	Phillippe, p	0	1	0	2	0
Case, p....	0	0	0	1	0	Lynch, p....	0	0	0	0	0
Totals....	9	9	18	6	1	Totals.....	6	11	18	14	2

Regulars	1	3	3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—9
Yanigans	3	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0—6

Two-base hits—Sheehan, Carisch, Leach, Nealon, Ritchey, Al Wagner. Three-base hits—Deitz, Meier, Frye. Home run—Clarke. Stolen bases—Al Wagner, Clymer. Sacrifice hit—Leach. Double plays—Nealon (unassisted); Beaumont, Ritchey and Smith. Bases on balls—Off Willis 2, off Phillippe 2, off Case 1. Hit by ball—By Case 1. Wild pitch—Case. Hits—Off Phillippe, 9 in five innings; off Willis, 11 in five innings. Left on bases—Regulars 4, Yanigans 6. Time—1:20. Umpire—Mansfield.

Harry Newmeyer, the pitcher secured from Waterloo, Ia., was today released. He needs a little more minor league experience. He may go to Oakland, Cal.

LEADING POOL TEAMS AGAIN SUCCESSFUL

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Olympia	26	5	.748	Garfield	18	17	.514
Dermuel	25	10	.714	Union	18	19	.487
Federal	25	10	.714	Glenwood	11	23	.324
Arlington	22	13	.629	Swissvale	9	26	.257
Vorwerck	22	13	.629	Friendship	8	26	.235
Crescent	20	15	.571	Primrose	8	27	.229

The various teams of the Allegheny County Pool League met last night for their thirty-fifth round. The Vorwerck and Demmel game was won by Demmel by the close score of 100 to 87. The playing of Klasen of Demmel, with 52 balls, was the feature. Elson had high score for the Vorwercks with 38 balls. The Olympia and Arlington game was won by the leaders by the score of 100 to 78. The star player was Coulter of Olympia, with 68 balls. Dietrich had high score for Arlington with 33 balls. The Crescent and Swissvale game was won by Crescent by the score of 100 to 60. Maley had high score for the Crescents with 41 balls. The Federal and Union game was won by Federal by the score of 100 to 52. The Star playing of Port of the Federals, with 44 balls, was the feature. The game between Primrose and Garfield was won by Garfield by the score of 100 to 49. The star playing was by Weber of the Garfields with 40 balls. The Friendship and Glenwood game at Friendship was not sent in. Scores:

Vorwerck—		Demmel—	
Elson	38	Klasen	52
Vorwerck	30	Clepper	18
Hays	21	Auf	27
Total	59	Total	107

Scratches—Vorwerck 2, Demmel 7. Referee—Ward. Scorers—Hahn and Beans.

At Federal— Federal—		Union—	
Port	44	Meridith	7
Glass	19	Black	21
McCabe	39	Sewald	28
Total	102	Total	56

Scratches—Federal 2, Union 4. Referee—Jackson. Scorers—Birch and Edwards.

At Olympia— Olympia—		Arlington—	
Travers	22	Deitrich	33
Coulter	58	Miller	30
Paul	24	Round	19
Total	104	Total	82

Scratches—Olympia 5, Arlington 9. Referee—Caldwell. Scorer—King.

At Crescent— Crescent—		Swissvale—	
Maloy	41	Campbell	19
Cronin	29	Freese	25
Brown	26	Morgan	28
Total	106	Total	72

Scratches—Crescent 5, Swissvale 12. Referee—Doran. Scorer—Arthurs.

At Primrose— Primrose—		Garfield—	
Simon	11	Weber	40
Sweeney	26	Yahrling	27
Burtt	13	Dopler	39
Total	54	Total	106

Scratches—Primrose 2, Garfield 6. Referee—Sweeney. Scorer—Hemphill.

The managers of the Allegheny County Pool league met at this office yesterday afternoon and business of importance was transacted. A committee composed of Edwards, Cronin, Weber, Stemmer and Leuckhard was appointed to select prizes and to decide on a place where the annual banquet will be held. The changes on the various teams were few. Maloy takes the place of Kahoe of Crescent; Richardson takes the place of Tomlison of Union; McCall takes the place of Port of Garfield; Ernest and Port take the place of Ritchie and Mack of Federal; Simon takes the place of Finne of Primrose; King and Bryant take the places of Gleason and Brooks of Olympia.

Other games yesterday were:

At Elms—Elms 80, Millvale 91.

At Shurabura—Summers 100, Crescents 80.

At Shofus—Shofus 150, Avenues 96.

P. O. M. LEAGUE TO MEET THIS AFTERNOON

Uniontown or the Fairmont-Clarksburg team will be admitted into the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Maryland league at the meeting this afternoon at the Hotel Henry. The meeting has been called for the magnates to act upon the admittance of either club. Both applying teams will appear with a $500 check as an evidence of good faith. Just which club will be admitted is a matter for the league to decide and it will be decided only in the meeting.

The Waynesburgh club has sent the following signed contracts to the president of the league: William Ryan, an outfielder of Wellsville, N. Y., and Lefty Steve, a pitcher of Cleveland.

"Trap" Sweeney, who played the outfield for Braddock last year, is unengaged and can be secured. He is a good player.

Hugo Swarthing, the shortstop, is ill at his Mt. Washington home.

Ball Player to Wed.

Ed. Zinaser, formerly of the Lafayettes of Allegheny, left last night for Mingo Junction, Ohio, where he will wed Miss Addie Freiling, daughter of J. Freiling, leading contractor of that town, tomorrow evening. Several members of the Lafayette and Fairbanks teams were on hand to see him off. Zinaser is a younger brother of Charles Zinaser, left fielder of the champion A. J. G. team of the New York State league.

$10 Per Sass in O. and P.

NEW CASTLE, PA., April 3.—(Special.)—It will cost players in the Ohio and Pennsylvania baseball league $10 per sass when they get fresh with the umpires this season, according to a ruling just announced by President Morton. The players may also be ejected from the game or suspended.

AMATEUR BASEBALL.

The Clerk A. C. has reorganized. Address F. X. Larkin, care of shop clerks' office, P. R. R., Pittsburg.

The Morningside Juniors challenge all 11-year-old teams. Address James Lamont, 1900 Morningside avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Ph. Kramms have a stronger team this season than ever before. All 12-year-old teams address Herman Kramm, 328 Herron avenue, city.

The Rambler club of Allegheny has open dates. Address John Fowler, 103 Chester avenue Allegheny.

The Elbas defy all 20-year-old teams. Address James Murphy, Lydia street, city.

The Allegheny Independents want games. Address John L. Thompson, 16 Woods Run avenue, Allegheny.

The Lyman A. C. is out this season with a fast team. Address Joseph Escher, 312 Spring street, Mt. Oliver.

Glenshaw challenges all 20-year-old teams. Address H. A. Adams, Glenshaw, Pa.

The Tammanys of Greenfield challenge all 15-year-old uniformed teams. Call 3210 Court, and ask for No. 64.

The Hickory Athletic club will meet Thursday evening at the home of W. S. Radcliffe, 432 Pacific avenue, E. E. The following will attend: Sam Davis, Watt Carr, Schmidt, Andrews, Beegle, Gartside, Gettis, Llewellyn, Johns, B. Sipper, Elliott and H. C. Ringer. The team will open its season April 21 and all first-class teams desiring games address W. S. Radcliffe, 432 Pacific avenue, E. E.

The Westinghouse Independents of East Pittsburgh are ready to book games with all first-class teams. Address Dennis McNeill, box 194, East Pittsburgh.

The Benton A. C. challenges seven-year-old teams. Address William Kegg, 1900 Park building, Pittsburgh.

The Donlin club challenges all 11-year-old uniformed teams. Address Edward T. Clifford, 160 Banner alley, city.

The Waltons challenge all 17-year-old teams. Address Charley Mooney, Grand avenue, Allegheny.

The Manhattan A. A. would like to hear from all first-class teams. Address John Meisel, 929 Morrison avenue, Allegheny.

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Federal	1	0	1000	2635
North Braddock	0	1	.000	2503
Unger	0	0	.000	....

SCHEDULE FOR TONIGHT.
Unger at North Braddock.

Last night on the Federal alleys the North Braddocks and Federals met in the first contest for the County league championship and the Federals won all three games and came out ahead by a total of 132 pins. A large crowd was present to see the important contest. Although each team had a big following of enthusiastic rooters the best of order prevailed, and no bowler was interfered with by the spectators, who was thereby enabled to give his team his best services.

Both teams started off with a fair score. The second game was the closest and most interesting. In the last game the Federals came strong, distancing their opponents and chalking up the best score of the contest, 909.

August Seng, although with the losing team, was the start bowler with the high score of 213 and best average of 189 1-3. For the Federals all the members went over the 500 mark for the three games. Billy Schad proved the boss bowler for his team with a 500 score and the good average of 184 1-3. Peter Hornick had second best average, with high score of the contest, 219. Adam Hahn and Henry Harris were successful in getting in the double century column.

In the summaries North Braddock made 11 more errors than Federal, and the multitudes were equal on each side. North Braddock made more strikes than Federal and Federals made 15 more spares. The summaries and totals are as follows:

Federal—	St.	Sp.	S. R.	E.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Total.
Gerstbrein	6	18	2	4	183	163	148	503
A. Hahn	9	14	4	1	188	206	225	619
Harris	9	13	4	4	175	201	144	520
Hornick	10	13	6	1	136	190	219	545
Schad	7	21	2	1	200	163	190	553
Totals	41	79	21	11	853	878	909	2,635
North Braddock—								
Higgins	9	12	5	3	177	183	137	497
W. Seng	8	9	3	5	128	173	150	451
Richardson	8	15	3	5	167	186	150	503
Callahan	11	11	4	6	154	139	191	484
A. Seng	11	16	1	3	182	173	213	568
Totals	47	84	21	22	808	854	841	2,503

Referee E. L. Wilson took charge of the match and watched the game and spectators closely. As official referee he will officiate in the Unger-North Braddock match today.

The Friendship duck pin team last night defeated the Mt. Oliver boys by taking two out of three games. The match was rolled on the Friendship alleys. Scores:

Friendships—				Mt. Olivers—			
Horner	79	88	102	Murphy	97	96	81
Gall	84	84	76	Kurth	81	95	77
Yost	81	83	..	Kramer	88	90	106
Catley	101	84	89	Kutchert	79	87	88
Herg	88	79	109	Pielliner	87	80	96
Powell	..	..	104				
Totals	433	418	480	Totals	432	448	445

On the Homestead bowling alleys last night the Homestead duck pin team won two out of three games from the McKeesport team. Pherson was the star bowler. Scores:

A return match will be rolled at McKeesport next Monday.

Homesteads—				McKeesports—			
Llewelyn	91	98	95	Freeman	86	93	90
Sixsmith	85	98	93	Sheets	100	97	86
Cox	78	91	87	Wilson	105	97	85
Dickinson	86	97	102	De Haven	85	117	84
Pherson	121	112	107	Ubey	92	..	..
				Byard	..	85	89
Totals	471	496	484	Totals	467	499	434

In the two-man league on the Bock alleys, Sharpsburg, last evening, some interesting games were bowled. C. Jones rolled the highest score made so far in the league, making 246. The second game between Cunningham and C. Jones and Hunter and Wahl, resulted in a tie and in the roll-off Hunter and Wahl won out. Scores:

Kroetzer	125	154	158	Mack	165	162	148
Pryor	175	141	151	Platt	92	115	167
Totals	300	295	349	Totals	257	277	315
Cunningham	165	189	139	Hunter	176	182	183
C. Jones	246	184	127	Wahl	169	174	184
Totals	415	353	266	Totals	345	356	367

In the Westinghouse two-man league at Wilkinsburg last evening, Beck and Ritter, Thier and J. Ritter, Krauster and Clowes, won the majority of their games. John Ritter winning high score, 206, and Nugent high average, 175 1-3. Scores:

Beck	173	189	179	Mulligan	189	199	143
Ritter	131	189	140	Marcellus	127	142	131
Totals	284	378	319	Totals	257	302	277
Thier	125	167	159	Rolf	108	140	149
J. Ritter	192	199	206	Nugent	169	194	163
Totals	352	333	365	Totals	278	324	312
Krauster	145	159	171	Mitchels	159	148	151
Clowes	167	134	154	Youngblood	184	122	139
Totals	302	284	275	Totals	343	299	296

Marlin's Southpaws will roll at Economy tonight. All the rollers are requested to report on Adams' alleys at 5:30.

Harry Vofel, of the East Pittsburgh team, returned from Louisville on Monday. Harry enjoyed the trip and the tournament immensely, and nobody who knows him will doubt it.

The Homestead duckpin team is ready to arrange games with all duckpin teams. Address care Homestead Signal.

The Birminghana team of the South Pittsburgh league agrees to play the Sterlings on the Wilkinsburg alleys on Friday of this week, providing the Sterlings will play a return match on the Southern alleys Monday of next week. Answer through The Gazette.

The second annual banquet of the Mercantile Bowling league was given at the Fort Pitt last night to over a hundred guests, representing the bowling teams of downtown firms, McCreery & Company, William G. Johnston & Company, C. C. Mellor Company, M. H. Pickering, Philadelphia Company, Joseph Horne, Bailey-Farrel Mfg. Company, Rauh Brothers, Oil Well Supply Company, Arbuthnot-Stephenson Company, J. G. Bennet & Company. Harvey A. Klock, president of the bowling league acted as toastmaster and introduced W. G. Bryan, who outlined the purposes of the association; "Our League," Harry A. Klock; "Good Fellowship," C. H. Durham; "Slow Collections," Thomas Pickering; "Individual Traits," Clarence A. Whiteside. Two-minute talks by the captains of the bowling teams represented and selections by the Allegheny Lyceum quartet made up the program.

Other Baseball Games Yesterday.

At Danville, Va.—Boston Nationals 5, Danville 1.

At Washington—Providence 9, Georgetown University 6.

At Atlanta—New York Americans 5, Atlanta 3.

Columbia, S. C.—Brooklyn Nationals 12, Columbia 0.

Altoona Beats Cumberland.

CUMBERLAND, MD., April 3.—(Special.)—The first game of baseball of the season was played here today between the Altoona team and the Cumberland team. Score:

Altoona	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	5	8	4
Cumberland	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	4	

Batteries—Durnham and Stroh; Bell and Starnagle. Umpire—Smith.

Athletics Shut Out the Phillies.

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—The Philadelphia Athletics, champions of the American league, today again defeated the Philadelphia National league team. Attendance, 4,508.

Phila. (Am'n)	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1—3	6 0
Phila. (Nat'l)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0	6 1

Batteries—Plank and Powers; Kane and Donovan. Umpires—Emslie and Connolly.

BIG BENCH SHOW WILL START TODAY

Dazzling Array of Aristocratic Canines for Greatest of All Pittsburgh Exhibitions.

The dog show of the Duquesne Kennel club will open its doors this morning at Duquesne Garden and for the remainder of the week till it closes its doors Saturday night a steady stream of people who love the dog will ebb and flow to this greatest of all Pittsburgh bench shows.

All day long yesterday load after load of dogs were hustled out to Duquesne garden, some of them looking like loads of hay.

The Oldham special train direct from the Milwaukee show which closed its doors Saturday night arrived yesterday morning about 9 o'clock. It brought 225 dogs, containing the stars of the big circuit. They will meet at Duquesne garden the eastern contingent which have been rested up since the Boston show and a final clash in the ring for the honors will be in the Duquesne garden arena.

The entries this year run up over 800, far in excess of any show ever held in Pittsburgh. It may be some time before just as good a show will be seen here again.

Only the dogs from outside cities were received yesterday, those from the city and nearby points will be accepted this morning. It was a great day yesterday for the small boy whom the arrival of the dogs had going much in the same way as the coming of a circus into town. They gathered about the garden and were delighted when an opportunity was given them to exercise the aristocratic canines with names and pedigrees that gave them almost human interest.

The big bench show will be more important to the small boy this year than ever. Dr. J. Stewart Lacock, secretary of the Duquesne Kennel club, has had the small boy in mind right along. The small boy that he is looking out for, however, is the one that conditions of life would not permit him to see the show.

With a liberality of management that will recommend itself to all the Duquesne Kennel club has invited the orphanages this year to visit the show as guests of the club. The children will be sent in the mornings and will be distributed throughout the week.

The judging will begin promptly at 10 o'clock this morning. Great Danes, St. Bernards and the other heavy weights will be sent into the ring first. The other extreme, the toy dogs, will also be passed upon today. There are three rings and two classes at least will be before the judges all the time and the work will go along very rapidly.

Tomorrow the sporting dogs will have their day. Pointers, setters, beagles and the like will then be passed upon. Much interest has been shown by friends of George B. Post, Jr., who is coming here from New York to judge beagles. He has a great many friends here who will go out to see him judge.

AMERICAN ATHLETES SAIL FOR THE OLYMPIAN GAMES

NEW YORK, April 3.—Amid the cheers of fully 2,000 persons standing on the pier, 32 of the 34 amateur athletes, who were picked by the American committee to represent the United States in the Olympic games at Athens, Greece, three weeks hence, sailed today. The other two went ahead by a quicker route, leaving last Saturday. The team representing America has been picked from all over the United States, and the best men in each branch of the sports were chosen. The Olympic games will begin on Monday, April 23.

Dunn Challenged by Ryan.

NEW CASTLE, PA., April 3.—(Special.)—Jimmy Dunn, the local lightweight, today received a challenge from Billy Ryan of Cincinnati. Ryan wants to meet Dunn at any time and place for the gate receipts.

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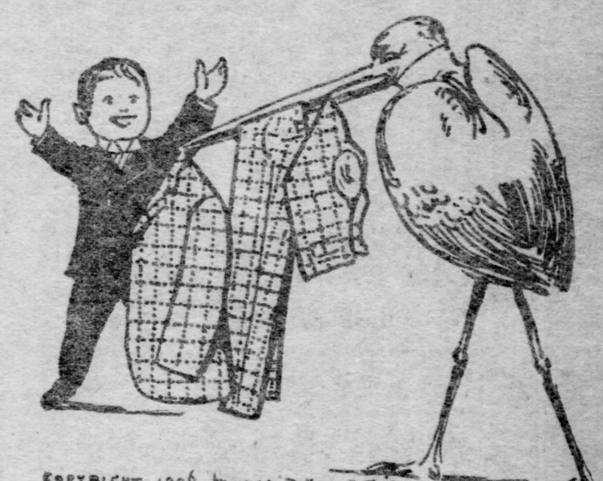

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COLLEGE AND SCHOOL NEWS

The W. U. P. dentals have organized a baseball team. Walter Ritchie is manager and he is booking games. An inter-department league will probably be organized to play for the campus championship.

Yale has started outdoor baseball work. At the first practice for an hour Coach Lush kept the players hustling at a general fielding and batting practice and then two nines were formed for a practice game. The varsity took the field as follows: Picher, Jackson, catcher; Chapin, first base, Wylie; second base, Camp; shortstop, O'Brien; third base, Kinney; left field, Mallory; center field, Smith; right field, Huiskamp.

Six of this team are the men who won the intercollegiate championship for Yale last year. Bruce Smith, the new center fielder, was substitute right fielder last year. Mallory, left field, played the same position for Andover academy last season, and Wylie, first baseman, was catcher for the Hill school team last season. Both Mallory and Wylie are freshmen.

U. of P. and Princeton have started football practice.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—(Special.)—In a game marked by fast fielding, Penn State defeated Washington university here today, 6 to 5. Although outhit, State's singles came at opportune times and good base running was a big factor in the run-getting. Cree, for State, played a star engagement, hitting safely four times, scoring four runs, and in the field accepted ten chances without a slip. Both pitchers were remarkably steady, only one man getting a pass. However, the one pass proved to be costly for Washington, as it resulted in the winning run for State. The score:

		R	H	E
Washington	0 1 2 0 0 2 0 0 0	5	12	3
State	1 0 1 0 1 0 3 0 *	6	6	1

Three-base hits—Cree. Two-base hits—Bradley, Senior. Stolen bases—State, 5. Struck out—By McIlvien, 4; by Hutchinson, 2. Bases on balls—Off Hutchinson, 1.

Captain Farmer yesterday announced the schedule of the East Liberty academy baseball team. The schedule: April 20, Allegheny High at Allegheny; April 24, Allegheny Preparatory at Allegheny; April 27, Mt. Pleasant High at E. L. A.

May 4, open; May 7, Wilkinsburg at Wilkinsburg; May 11, Mt. Pleasant at Mt. Pleasant; May 15, W. and J. academy at Washington; May 18, Greensburg at Greensburg; May 23, St. Vincent college at Beatty; May 25, W. and J. academy at Washington; May 29, Allegheny Preparatory at Allegheny.

June 1, open; June 5, Allegheny High at E. L. A.; June 9, California Normal at California.

Pitcher Ward Gable of the Pittsburgh High school nine is out of school and Coach Wentz will have to develop another twirler.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., April 3.—(Special.)—Pennsylvania was defeated by the University of Virginia at Charlottesville today, 7 to 1. The score:

Penna.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Virginia.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Thomas, 3.	1	1	1	1	0	Lawler, s..	1	2	0	0	1
Webb, r...	0	1	1	0	0	Walker, m.	1	2	1	0	0
Fennell, m	0	1	0	0	0	Dalton, 1...	1	3	2	0	0
Carter, 1...	0	1	13	3	0	Maddock, 2.	1	0	0	2	0
Adams, l..	0	0	1	0	0	Rice, l.....	0	1	8	1	0
Hare, c....	0	0	8	3	1	Hoff, 3.....	0	1	1	2	0
Yerkes, s..	0	1	3	2	1	Johnson, r.	1	1	5	1	0
Keinath, 2.	0	0	0	1	1	Woodson, c.	1	1	9	2	0
Noonan, p.	0	0	0	0	1	Susong, p..	1	1	1	1	1
Layton, p.	0	0	0	1	0						
*Wilson ...	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals....	1	5	27	11	4	Totals.....	7	12	27	9	2

*Batted for Layton in ninth inning.

Pennsylvania	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—1
Virginia	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	0—7

Earned runs—Virginia 1. Two-base hit—Susong. Three-base hits—Webb, Johnson. Struck out—Pennsylvania, 10; Virginia, 7. (by Layton 6, Noonan 1). First base on called balls—Pennsylvania 5, Virginia 2. Passed balls—Woodson 3. Time—2:10. Umpire—Moses.

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WATER DOG UPSETS TALENT

WASHINGTON, April 3.—An excellent crowd, attracted to the races at Bennings today by a first-rate card and beautiful weather, was well repaid in better sport than is usual on an off-day. The warm sun and a brisk breeze had dried out the track until it was in fairly good condition, although not fast. Four favorites rewarded their backers, the other two events being captured the one by an outsider and the other by a strong choice.

Tickle was scratched in the handicap, which was the first number on the program, and Daruma was installed as favorite, with Sterling for strong demand. The favorite had no difficulty in winning, holding her company safe at all stages. Royal Window just nipped the place from Blue Coat.

August Belmont's Nancy ran away with the second. She never was better than 1 to 5 in the speculation. Mocasin was the choice for the place, but Leader Hirsch beat him out in the stretch.

In the third, the horses ran true to form Parkville winning handily from Zany, Hanover Hornpipe just getting into the purse.

Prince of Pilsen easily won the steeple chase, although he was badly interfered with at one of the hedges by Copper and pulled up lame. Saltine took the place and La Danzada, after twice refusing jumps, ran into third.

An upset occurred in the fifth race, when Water Dog, as good as 10 to 1, at the opening won in a hard drive from Winchester, with the heavily played Workman as third, and The Cure, the favorite, no better than fourth.

A cheap bunch was offered in the sixth at all kinds of prices, Grand Duchess was made the favorite, but there was generous play on Sir Brinkley, Fiat and Castor. Fiat went to the front readily and never was headed, winning easily. The favorite got the place, with Castor third. Summaries:

First race, handicap, for three-year-old and upward, 5 furlongs, Columbia course—Daruma, 108 (Kent), 6 to 5 and 2 to 5, won; Royal Window, 102 (Trubell), 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Blue Coat, 105 (Robbins), 12 to 1, third. Time—1:03 1-5. Sterling, Prospero and Optical ran.

Second race, for two-year-olds, 4½ furlongs, old course—Nancy, 102 (C. Morris), 1 to 6 and out, won; Isador Hirsch, 102 (Fruishon), 60 to 1 and 10 to 1, second; Moccasin, 99 (McDaniel), 9 to 1, third. Time—:58 2-5. Bush Hill and Prosperity also ran.

Third race, selling, for four-year-old and upward, 6½ furlongs, Columbia course—Parkville, 105 (Diggins), 4 to 5 and out, won; Zany, 110 (Robbins), 3 to 1 and 4 to 5 second; Hanover Hornpipe, 107 (Trubell), 15 to 1, third. Time—1:24 4-5. Tom Cod, My Grace, Blue Sky, Metalie and May Aron also ran.

Fourth race, steeple chase for maiden four-year-old and upward, about two miles—Prince of Pilsen, 164 (Broderick), 6 to 5 and out won; Galline, 151 (Holman), 20 to 1 and 5 to 1, second; La Dansela, 147 (Mr. Carl), 15 to 1, third. Time—4:43. Harry Patton fell; Loney Haskell refused the Liverpool; Copper fell.

Fifth race, selling, for three-year-old and upward, 7 furlongs, Columbia course—Water Dog, 89 (C. Morris), 6 to 1 and 3 to 1, won; Winchester, 97 (Mr. Noone), 12 to 1 and 5 to 1, second; Workman, 109 (Shaw), 13 to 5, third. Time—1:25. The Cure, Sals, T. S. Martin and Nattie Bumppoo ran.

Sixth race, selling, for three-year-old and upward, one mile, Columbia course—Fiat, 108 (Diggins), 7 to 1 and 2½ to 1, won; Grand Duchess, 106 (Shaw), 3 to 5 and 6 to 5, second; Castor, 103 (Kienlen), 6 to 1, third. Time—1:44 2-5. Thomond, Nonsense, Pleasant Days, Ladsarion, Sir Brinkley, Winifred A., Gentian and Society Bud also ran.

BENNINGS ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—6½ furlongs, selling, 2 years old and up, Columbia course:

John E. Shearn	106	Hyperion	103
Caronal	106	*Monte Carlo	106
Plantagenet	108	Suffice	101
Rehodale	108	The Veiled Lady	101
Saindin	106	*Palora	94
Weirdsome	106		

Second race—4½ furlongs, 2-year-old maidens, old course:

Rye Boy	107	Johnstown	104
Brittanby	107	Norwina	104
Jarvis Lane	107	Town Topics	104
Tilelina	107	Velocity	104
Mary Curtis	104	Shackle	104
Miss Dixon	104	Lucy Strome	104

Third race—⅞ mile, selling, 2 years old and up, Columbia course:

Dekaber	110	Australina	105
Proceeds	110	Pleasant Days	101
Sheriff Bell	110	Optical	98
Jack McKeon	108	Vagabond	98
Gallant	105	Judge White	88
Foxy	105	*Henry Waring	88

Fourth race—4½ furlongs, selling, 2-year-olds, old course:

Al Powell	107	Johstown	92
Orphan Lad	98	*Finance	90
Estelle H.	92	*Mode	87
Ransom	92		

Fifth race—1 mile, 3 years old and up, maidens, Columbia course:

Zany	116	Thorium	100
Salt and Pepper	105	Tarlac	103
Pason	100	Indra	93
Kuro	100	Elton Weaver	95

Sixth race—1 mile, handicap, 3 years old and up, Columbia course:

Bobbie Kean	113	Sailor Boy	104
Bellsnicker	117	Northville	95
Workman	108	Phoebus	90

*Apprentice allowance.

Rapid Water Only Winning Favorite.

NEW ORLEANS, April 3.—Rapid Water, who scored easily in the mile handicap, was the only winning favorite at the fair grounds today. The weather was clear and the track fast. Summaries:

First 4½ furlongs—Bitter Miss, 110 (Livingston), 16 to 7, won; Gotholin, 110 (Auboichon), 7 to 1, second; Dorothy M., 115, (Oliphant), 6 to 1, third. Time—:54 2-5. Duchess of Montebello, Sanscrit, Blackwell, Miss Hynes, Blacklock, Launfal, Bud Hill, Commodore Thein, Lady Vimont, San Barber ran.

Second, 6 furlongs—Elastic, 123 (H. McDonald), 18 to 5, won; Hannibal Boy, 110 (Bedell), 3 to 2, second; Delmore, 102 (H. Alexander), 20 to 1, third. Time—1:14 3-5. Maister, Glen Gallant, Felix Mozzes, Il Dottore and Seaworthy ran.

Third, 5 furlongs—Fenian, 116 (J. Conley), 4 to 1, won; Young Reminder, 103 (Von Staden), 40 to 1, second; Come On Sam, 102 (R. Dunican), 8 to 1, third. Time—1:01 2-5. Simplicity, Evening Star, Sprakers, Kid of Woodstock, Catherine R., Merry Belle, Perfect, Luxembourg and Allisia ran.

Fourth, one mile, handicap—Rapid Water, 125 (Feiehi), 1 to 2, won; Tartan, 106 (Livingston), 16 to 1, second; Monaco Maid, 96 (Moreland, 2 to 1, third. Time—1:41. Hunterdon and Novena ran.

Fifth, mile and a half—Namoki, 109½ (Feiehi), 4 to 1, won; R. F. Williams, 104 (Bedell), 3 to 5, second; Cashier, 98 (W. McGee), 30 to 1, third. Time—2:38. Footlights Favorite, Jerry Lynch, Louis Kraft, Colonist and Shipingport ran.

Sixth, one mile—John McBride, 98 (Johanssen), 14 to 5, won; Lena J., 98 (Moreland), 6 to 5, second; Ternus, 98 (W. McGee), 8 to 1, third. Time—1:42 3-5. Bitter Brown, Daly), 3 to 5, third. Time, 1:14 3-5. Huston, Thespian and Brand New also ran.

Fourth race, mile, handicap—Elliott, 109 (W. Daly), 5 to 1, won; Debar, 112 (Nicol), 2 to 1, second; Envoy, 105 (W. Allen), 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:41. Mad. T. J. Carson, Shawang and Creel also ran.

Fifth race, seven furlongs—Ferroniere, 97 (J. Hennessy), 4 to 1, won; Mynheer, 113 (W. Allen), 6 to 1, second; Kara, 106 (W. Daly), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:28. Saranola, Arthur Cummer, Gamara, Adare, The Only Way, Marco, Clover Hampton, Rain Devils and Annie Berry ran.

Sixth race, seven furlongs—Gold Proof, 115 (Oregar), 20 to 1, won; Capt. Bush, 112 (Munro), 5 to 1, second; Anna Day, 101 (Harrigan), 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 3-5. George E. Miller, Goldbearer, Topo Chico, Gray Dal, Mayor Duncan, Sibylla, Malt and Mrs. Phillips also ran.

Seventh race, mile and an eighth—Florizel, 109 (Perrett), 11 to 5, won; Fonsoluca, 106 (Oregar), 5 to 1, second; Padre, 102 (W. Allen, 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:55 1-5. Drexel, Reveille, Helgerson, Devonshire and Harpoon also ran.

CITY PARK ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—7 furlongs, selling:

Evie Green	107	Durnolette	107
Telepathy	107	Fairy Plush	107
Little Mac	107	Lady Boykin	107
Field Lark	107	Mrs. Phillips	107
Mathis	107	Fulqus	109
America II	107		

Second race—1¼ miles, over 5 hurdles:

Ohio King	156	Hanaiara	148
Charawind	146	Lord Radnor	146
Dr. Nowlin	146	Class Leader	148
Sulador	146	Woodlyn	145
Parnassus	146	Lulu Young	144

Third race—4½ furlongs:

Edward Wilder	108	Leo Beach	104
McIntyre	107	Captain Hale	103
Belsay	107	Betsy Binford	100

Fourth race—6 furlongs, selling:

Long Bright	105	Buell	96
Pluto	98	Cull	93
Prince Glenn	96	Honeywell	91
Pirkin	96	Baron	91

Fifth race—1 mile, selling:

Bell the Cat	110	Foxhunting	108
Colin George	112	Macenna	108
Arab	112	Federal	107
Alcantara	111	Kibosh	107
Josette	110	Wakeful	106
Arachus	110	Malediction	104
Algonquin	110	Jacob	103
Naraq	108		

Sixth race—1 1-16 miles, selling:

Careless	108	John Garner	102
Liddon	102	Daring	92
Freebooter	107	Goldic	89
Florizel	105	Grace Wagner	87

Seventh race—6 furlongs selling:

Don Fonso	110	Malleable	108
Gold Zone	110	Ruth W.	103
Hadur	110	Favorita	101
Tichimingo	110	Anne Bryan	101
Granada	103	Rain Devils	101
Matabon	104	Galmeda	98
Sago	106	Algave	96

Long Horses Win at San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Long-priced horses captured most of the events at Oakland today. Among those that won were Gold Heather, at 6 to 1; Parting Jennie, at 9 to 1, and Albert Fir, at 10 to 1. Weather clear; track fast. Summaries:

First race, 3½ furlongs—Gold Heather, 107, (Kunz) 6 to 1, won; Sacramenta Belle, 107, (Buchanan), 8 to 1, second; Calendar, 107 (Otis), 30 to 1, third. Time, :42¼. Gracie St. Clair, Mechlin, Grace Van S., Melitah, Aragon, Weatherford, Piety of La Fiesta and Sam Sidman also ran.

Second race, futurity course—Parting Jennie, 109 (Minder), 9 to 1, won; Flo Manola, 108 (Robinson), 6 to 1, second; Estelle J., 108 (Hettig), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:12⅘. Allopath, Suburban, Queen, Glenbrier, Elba, Prickles, Wistaria, Our Sallie, Miss Raphael and Sue Foster, also ran.

Third race, futurity course—Edna King, 128, (B. Powell), 7 to 1, won; Alsono, 133 (Bulman), 6 to 5, second; James A. Murray, 130 (F. Kelly), 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:12. E. M. Brattain, San Lution, Sir Dougal, Sacredus and Bdumenthal, also ran.

Fourth race, mile and 70 yards—Red Light, 99 (Brussel), 6 to 1, won; Phalanx, 113 (Robinson), 8 to 5, second; Buchanan, 103 (Rice), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:44⅘. Hippocrates, Hi Caul Cap, Cabin, Harbor, Magrane, Christine A., Calculate and Joe Ross also ran.

Fifth race, mile and an eighth—Expedient, 109 (J. J. Walsh), 5 to 1, won; Iras, 107 (Robinson), 11 to 2, second; Brierthorpe, 109 (Herbert), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:57¼. Leila Hill, Prestano, Lone Fisherman, Montana Peeress, Old Mike, Canejo, Blackthorn and Sunny Shore also ran.

Sixth race, futurity course—Albert Fir, 92 (Brussell), 10 to 1, won; Toupee, 101 (Graham), 9 to 2, second; Lacene, 97 (Rice), 3 to 1, third. Tibe, 1:10⅘. Don Domo and Romaine also ran.

OAKLAND ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—6 furlongs:

St. Peter	97	W. P. Palmer	100
Only Jimmie	97	E. C. Runte	100
Bear Hunter	97	I Do Go	100
J. B. Smith	97	Princess Wheeler	104
Black Joe	100	Princess David	98
Sid Preston	100	Ethel Barrymore	95

Second race—6 furlongs:

Batidor	100	Judge	107
Tam O'Shanter	100	Masedo	98
Silver Heels	100	Elverraco	95
Willie Gregg	103	Hugh McGowan	95
Komombo	93	The Reprobate	97
The Major	106	Dod Anderson	104

Third race—5 furlongs:

Grace G.	103	Queen Aileen	103
May L.	103	Native Son	111
Doc Craig	103	Saxonia	106

Fourth race—1 mile:

Soufriere	115	Callaghan	120
Fisher Boy	96	Princess Titania	108
Ed Sheridan	96		

Fifth race—1 1-16 miles:

Hippocrates	103	Quickstride	95
Massa	103	Northwest	104
Sinner Simon	108	Wexford	87
J. K. F.	93		

Sixth race—6½ furlongs:

Equorum Rex	105	I'm Joe	107
Arbor	105	Wee Lass	107
Bakersfield	107	Huston	107
Lisaro	105	Queen Anne	87
Boloman	109	Sugar Maid	102

Only One Favorite to the Front.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK., April 3.—Ollie Burnett was the only favorite to win at Oaklawn today. Alma's Pet made a run away affair of the 2-year-old event, winning by three lengths pulled up. Charlatan showed a peculiar reversal of form when she defeated Pontotoc and Convolo at one mile and 70 yards. Weather cloudy, showers; track good. Summaries:

First race, 6½ furlongs—Ollie Burnett, 101 (Harris), 6 to 5, won; Bandillo, 102 (Radtke), 3 to 1, second; Animosity, 105 (Mountain), 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:21 2-5. J. Samelson, Swing Corners, The Saracen, Selfish, Lady Lusk and Brooklide also ran.

Second race, 5 furlongs—Bitterose, 115 (McLaughlin), 12 to 1, won; Edwin T. Fryer, 115 (Hudiin), 12 to 1, second; The Boer, 110 (Lee), 10 to 1, third. Time, :30 2-5. Ben Volo, Dr. Root, Bogum, Chancellor, Miss Ermaline, Celsis, Expect to See and May O'Brien also ran.

Third race, mile and 70 yards—Charlatan, 105 (Mountain), 10 to 1, won; Pontotoc, 118, (Radtke), 6 to 5, second; Convolo, 105 (Sewell), 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:44 3-5. Telegrapher and Scalp Lock also ran.

Fourth race, 6½ furlongs—Little Gregg, 102 (Hardwick), 25 to 1, won; King Wilda, 104 (Redtke), 6 to 5, second; Secret, 104 (Harris), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:22 1-5. Concert, Young Sater, Ina Gray, Cadillac and Townes also ran.

Fifth race, half mile—Alma's Pet, 105 (Callus), 4 to 1, won; Elksmo, 105 (Cherry), 20 to 1, second; San Ardo, 108 (Dennison), 12 to 1, third. Time, :49 1-5. Capt. Jafret, Madonna, Mendicus and Game Bird also ran.

Sixth race, one mile—Amberita, 104 (Dennison), 13 to 5, won; Aggie Lewis, 104 (Callus), 10 to 1, second; Behoove, 104 (Radtke), 11 to 5, third. Time, 1:43. Fern Rock, Sambo, The Borgian, George T. and Carnical also ran.

HOT SPRINGS ENTRIES WEDNESDAY.

First race—5 furlongs:

Capt. Neroth	108	Jack Hope	103
Joe Brocket	116	Arabelle	101
King Abyssinia	98	Josie Loans	101
Kizli	98	McJetta	106
The Saracan	103	Vision	109

Second race—3½ furlongs:

Bob's Pet	107	Tres Joli	117
Cahore	107	Anna Karenini	111
Theodocia	107	Wing Ting	111
DeOro	119		

Second race—1¼ miles, selling:

Charlie Thompson	113	Kittie Platt	106
Embarrassment	113	Los Angeleno	103
Bullfinch	110	George Vivian	105
Dolinda	106		

Fourth race—6 furlongs:

H. L. Frank	112	Barbaros	102
Lucullus	109	Letty	109
Rather Royal	109		

Fifth race—5 furlongs, selling:

W. G. Williams	121	All Black	111
James Warren	121	Neania W.	106
Canajoharie	111	Knickerbocker	106
Frank Bell	111		

Sixth race—1 mile, selling:

T. J. Powell	107	Young Sater	100
Secret	104	Townes	97
Stocssel	102	Crowshade	97
Tomochichi	100		

Clear Weather and Fast Track.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., April 3.—Janeta was the only successful favorite at City Park today. Florizel was run up to $1,100 after her race and bought in. The weather was clear and the track fast. Summaries:

First race, one mile and a sixteenth—Janeta, 101 (J. Hennessy), 8 to 5, won; Dungannon, 105 (Farrow), 13 to 1, second; Swift Wing, 107 (W. Allen), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 3-5. Jacob, Reticent, Flying Charcoal, Arab, Tryon, Anna Fitzhugh and Sanction also ran.

Second race, half mile—Big Hand, 111 (H. Larsen), 6 to 1, won; Doc Kyle, 111 (G. Schilling), 9 to 5, second; Moneymaker, 112 (Oregar), 4 to 1, third. Time, :49 1-5. Capt. Jafret, Madonna, Mendicus and Game Bird also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Bensonhurst, 109 (G. Schilling), 13 to 1, won; Tishimingo, 98 (Oregar), 25 to 1, second; Prince Brutus, 108 (W. Hans C. Freeman, Montclair, beat H. Wormbee, Crescent A. C., 2 and 2.

Second round—Woodward beat Freeman 2 and 1; Wood beat Hamilton, 2 and 1; Becker beat Pierce, 2 and 1; Brokaw beat Freeman, 2 and 1.

Consolation, first round—Towne beat Dutton, 2 and 1; Bernet beat Smith, 7 and 6; A. Havemeyer beat Denny, 1 up (20 holes); Wardwell beat Ormsbee, 4 and 2.

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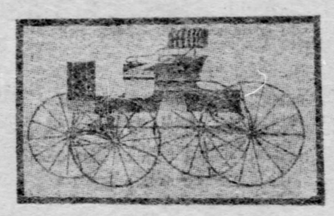

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In tomorrow's 36-hole semi-finals, Oscar Woodward of Englewood meets W. K. Wood of Edgewood, Chicago, and C. L. Becker of Scotland comes up against George T. Brokow of Garden City.

A summary of today's play in the first division follows:

First round—E. A. Freeman, Montclair, beat Norman Towne, Glenview, Chicago, 4 and 7; Oscar Woodward, Englewood, beat Harry Dutton, Oakley, 1 up; L. A. Hamilton, New York, beat R. E. Smith, Saginaw, Mich., 4 up; W. K. Wood, Homewood, Chicago, beat E. M. Barnes, Englewood, 4 and 2; C. L. Becker, Woodland, Mass., beat J. O'H. Denny, Oakmont, Pa., 1 up (19 holes); L. D. Pierce, Woodland, beat A. Havemeyer, Seabright, N. Y., 4 and 3; George T. Brokaw, Garden City, beat L. W. Wardwell, Nesquticook, Me., 5 and 1; Wil-

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SOCIETY

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AS USUAL, early April sees the return of Pittsburghers from southern and Jersey resorts. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Darlington, who have been enjoying a winter sojourn at Lakewood, N. J., returned to their Allegheny home in Irwin avenue, yesterday morning, bringing their little granddaughter, Elizabeth Darlington Stoddard, and maids. The little girl's mother, Mrs Louis E. Stoddard, of New Haven, Conn., will remain at Lakewood another week before coming on for the Laughlin-Alexander wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. William Larimer Mellon and their children, Rachel Larimer, Matthew Taylor and Margaret Mellon, who are still at their Florida home in Miami, are expected home a week from Sunday. The James R. Mellons will remain at their winter place at Palatka, Fla., until late in April or early May.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lee Mason, Jr., and the latter's brother, John Marshall Lockhart of North Highland avenue, who left for California shortly after Christmas, will return home next week. They have spent the winter between Pasadena, Riverside and Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kirke Porter and Miss Hegeman left their winter home at Jekyl island, Ga., last Saturday, and are now in New York, guests at the Buckingham, where they will remain a little longer before coming on to "Oak Manor."

Wedding Trip to Sweden.

Last evening at the residence of Mrs. Elizabeth McCreery, in Munhall, her daughter, Miss A. Lysle McCreery and Anton Frederik Nordenskjold of McKeesport, were married by the Rev. Nathan Hynson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Homestead, in the presence of a company of relatives and intimate friends. The bride was given away by her brother, W. Bailey McCreery. She was attended by Miss Stella Boggs, of Monongahela, as maid of honor and by Miss Lillian Burth of Pittsburgh, as bridesmaid. Misses Elizabeth McCreery and Dorothy Bowman, little girls, were the flower bearers. T. C. Fogel of Sewickley was Mr. Nordenskjold's best man, and William Henry Mitchell and Joseph McCreery, another brother of the bride's, were the ushers. The house was elaborately decorated. The newly wedded pair went away late last night on a short honeymoon trip. Later in the season they will go abroad and visit with Mr. Nordenskjold's family in Sweden. The groom comes from a family that is prominent in more ways than one. His father is Commodore Otto Reingold Nordenskjold of the Swedish navy; his cousin is an explorer who has won considerable fame in the Antarctic regions, and he is a nephew of Baron Nordenskjold who is also quite well known in scientific circles as an explorer in the far waters of the north. Mr. Nordenskjold came to this country several years ago for the purpose of acquiring a more practical knowledge in his chosen profession, that of an engineer. For a time he was connected with the Carnegie Steel Company's forces at Homestead, and latterly he has been connected with the engineering department at the National Tube Works in McKeesport. It was while he was connected with the Homestead works and was on a trip to the ore regions of the Great Lakes, on one of the big ore carriers, that he first met the young woman who has become his bride, she being one of a party of pleasure seekers making a summer trip to the northwest. Their acquaintanceship fast ripened and shortly after that time their engagement was announced.

Pretty Wedding at Concordia Club.

The Concordia club, which has long been famous for pretty weddings, was the scene of another last evening—that of Miss Stella Herzog, daughter of Mrs. Henry Herzog of Beech avenue, Allegheny, and Philip Hamburger of Baltimore. The Rev. Dr. J. Leonard Levy officiated at 6:30 o'clock. Quantities of flowers and foliage were used in the decorations. White messaline satin, trimmed with rope pointe lace and a full length veil of tulle, caught with orange blossoms, was worn by the bride, who carried a bouquet of orchids and lilies of the valley. Miss Janet Herzog, the maid of honor, who was in white chiffon, carried white lilacs. Two little flower girls, Miss Julia Stern of Baltimore and Miss Louise Klee of New York, wore dainty frocks of white mousseline and carried leghorn hats filled with sweet peas. Harry Hamburger served as his brother's best man, and the ushers were Martin Herzog, brother of the bride; Mark Hamburger of Baltimore and Milton Simpson of New York. At the supper which followed, covers were laid for 12 at the bride's table, where the centerpiece of sweet peas and lilies of the valley formed the letter "H." From this extended ribbon streamers which caught the place cards. Suspended from the chandelier above was a white dove. Mr. and Mrs. Hamburger will spend their honeymoon in Cuba, sailing from New York tomorrow. Their intention is to live in Baltimore.

Musicians Wed at Wilkinsburg.

An acquaintanceship of a life-time, or since both were children, culminated in marriage last night when Miss Cora Mae Toy and William Hamilton Long were united by the Rev. G. W. Morris, of Morgantown, W. Va., at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Toy, West street, Wilkinsburg. A little romance is woven around this mating. Mr. Long, the groom, is blind and a musician of some note. The bride is also a musician, and they found something in common which ripened with the years. Miss Edna Beaver of the East End, was the maid of honor, and Herbert Reyner, of Uniontown was best man. The bride wore a gown of white lace, en princesse over satin, and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The bride and groom left last night for the east on an extended wedding trip after which they will be at home on West street, Wilkinsburg.

Amherst Glee Club Concert.

One of the best concerts that has ever been given in the city by a college organization, was that last night of the Amherst glee, banjo and mandolin clubs in the ballroom of the Hotel Schenley. The selections by A. I. Dillon, '06, who is a reader of exceptional ability, were features of the performance. This was the first visit of the Amherst club to Pittsburgh in eight years and it was made under the auspices of the Allegheny Preparatory school, with five prominent local alumni, Dr. W. J. Holland, W. C. Dicken, A. V. Davis, D. W. Cunningham and William D. Evans, as subscribers. The patronesses were Mrs. S. W. Cunningham, Mrs. R. E. Seandrett, Mrs. Thomas Ewing, Mrs. W. R. Thompson, Mrs. H. D. Denny, Mrs. J. M. Fleming, Mrs. S. N. Benham, Mrs. Edward Worcester, Mrs. C. E. Flaccus, Mrs. F. J. Torrance, Miss Evans, Mrs. A. B. Berger, Mrs. Frank Young, Mrs. W. R. Jones and Mrs. Phillips.

Anniversary Dinner.

A reception was given last evening at the home of Phillip Hamburger, in Fayette street, Allegheny, to celebrate the 70th birthday anniversary of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Henrietta Hanauer. Three daughters, Mrs. Hugo Rosenburg, Mrs. Louis Lowenstein and Mrs. Morris Baer, assisted Mrs. Hanauer in receiving nearly 100 friends. Before the reception a family dinner was given, at which, in addition to the host and honor guest, covers were laid for the latter's daughters, Miss Bessie and Miss Hattie Hamburger, Mr. and Mrs. Lowenstein, Mr. and Mrs. Rosenburg, Mr. and Mrs. Baer and the former's brother, Julius Baer, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Aaron and Charles Aron, Albert Hanauer and the latter's father and sister-in-law, M. Marx and Miss Rebecca Marx of Chicago.

China Shower and Bridge.

Miss Virginia Truby, Miss Jean McCloy, Miss Charlotte Overend, Miss Jean Bunton, Mrs. Ralph Richards, Miss Myrtle Lappe, Miss Edna Kelly, Miss Elizabeth Gilmore, Miss Stella Stolzenbach, Miss Nell Brown, Mrs. Rowland, Mrs. R. A. Matheny, Mrs. Walter Burchinal and Mrs. Frank Kenworth participated in a plate shower given yesterday afternoon for Miss Edna Dean Lappe of the East End, the fiance of Malcolm Harper, at the home of Mrs. J. Slater Crawford in Ingram. The shower was followed by a game of bridge at which Miss Brown and Mrs. Burchinal each won a pretty piece of hand-painted china.

To Take Mediterranean Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fowens of Crafton sailed yesterday on the White Star Line steamer Cretic for the Mediterranean trip, to include stops at Gibraltar, Naples and Genoa.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Rosenberg of the Hotel Schenley will sail tomorrow on the Prinzessin Victoria Louise for the Mediterranean trip. They will remain abroad until autumn.

"Racing Party."

Miss Aimee Leona Weil, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Leo Weil of Howe street, East End, entertained about 40 men and girls last evening with a "Racing Party," in honor of her visitor, Miss May Friedman of Philadelphia, and Miss Roberta Peck of Lock Haven, who is visiting Miss Jean Elizabeth Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steele F. Roberts.

Engagement Announcement.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Gertrude Newton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Webb of North Euclid avenue, East End, to John Karns Scandrett of Glenfield. The engagement will probably terminate in an early summer wedding.

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THE GAZETTE FASHION.

MAUVE TONES RULE.

Violet may have abdicated momentarily as the queen of spring colors, but it has established a regency in mauve, which is shown in a number of most graceful hats for dressy wear. The design sketched here is a modified French sailor with the crown partly sunken into the graduated brim. The mass of trimming is arranged at the back of the hat, although a band of shaded mauve ribbon borders the edge. Exquisite pansies in all the shades of mauve and violet, with touches of yellow literally cover the back, where the brim is pushed up very high.

Paris has smiled its approval upon the small hat, and the small hat it must be. There is no set rule governing the correct shape, for one is at liberty to twist the hat into any form that meets the demands for original, piquante beauty. All of the smart shapes lend themselves to delightful trimmings, the most of which is massed at the back, where the brim is upturned. Ribbon is a smart trimming for hats of all kinds, and on some of the late models no less than 10 yards are used in rosettes and bows, effectively grouped above and beneath the brim, without any supplementary trimming.

THE CLUBS

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Art in the School Room.

A strong plea for the cultivation of beauty in line and thought was presented last evening by Henry Turner Bailey, art director of the schools of Massachusetts. Mr. Bailey spoke in the First United Presbyterian church under the auspices of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Free Kindergarten association, which has taken the initiative in a general movement for the encouragement of art in the school rooms in Pittsburgh. The lecture was attended by representatives of the women's clubs, which are co-operating in this movement, and as a result of the lecture efforts will be made to forms a central committee composed of delegates from each club, the purpose being to suggest to the clubs directions in which they may aid the movement and add to the collections of pictures and casts which are now in the school buildings. It being suggested that the clubs make their contributions for such purpose to the committee, which will be intelligently informed as to the character of the pictures and casts needed for certain grades.

Mr. Bailey in the course of his lecture, which applied not only to the decoration of the school rooms, but to the illustrative work which the children do, the work in composition, in color and line and the various features of art as taken up by them during their school days, said: "The pictures selected for the school room walls should be suited to the age of the children and the grade of work taken up. In the kindergarten stage, for instance, the madonna pictures are excellent; in the primary grade those which show child life and animal life; reposeful pictures are good to place before a room of restless children; those studying the classics will enjoy the 'Aurora' or 'The Reading from Homer.' In the high school the pictures should have some significance, and not be merely pleasing to the eye; for instance, there is Correggio's 'Holy Night,' suggesting the life of the world; Thomas Hovenden's 'Breaking the Home Ties,' or Edward Burne-Jone' 'The Golden Stair,' which is well worth study and thought day after day."

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock the Teachers' Art club gave a reception for Mr. Bailey in the Kindergarten college, which was attended by many well-known local educators, the receiving party with Mr. Bailey were Miss Alice Henry, president of the club; Miss Agnes Lawton, Miss Johnston of Munhall, Miss Lucy Scryock and Miss Hamilton of Aspinwall.

Many Children Arrested in March.

An unusually large number of children were before the juvenile court during March, the total number being 106. Mrs. Alice B. Montgomery, chief probation officer, presented the report for the month at the meeting of the Juvenile Court association yesterday afternoon. Of the total number 98 were boys and eight were girls. The report showed that but one arrest was made for carrying concealed firearms, eight for entering buildings, one for assault, 15 for vagrancy, one for truancy, 11 for incorrigibility, five who had run away, 35 for larceny, five for malicious mischief, 22 for dependence (children who have committed no offenses) and two for horse stealing. Of these 106 children brought before the court, 56 were sent home on probation, 19 to private homes, six to Morganza, one to the Pittsburgh Hospital for Children, four to the institution for the feeble-minded at Polk, one to the Newsboys' home, one to the Home of the Good Shepherd, one to the Episcopal Church home, one to the Tuscarawa home at Dover, O., six were returned to their homes in other counties, four were taken to the Philadelphia Protectory, one to the Oakdale Industrial home, three to St. Paul's Orphan asylum and two to the county home in Woodville. Because there have been so many children in the rooms of detention and before the court the association is in great need of clothing, since the children are given fresh supplies of clothing, sometimes their condition necessitating complete changes after they are taken into the detention rooms. During the past month they were carried for at the rate of 25 a week, and the supply of clothing has been exhausted. The association is also anxious to secure an emergency fund, wishing to have on hand constantly about $100 that the probation officers may get clothing, provisions, a supper or other single meal, and to provide in needy cases when the children are brought into the rooms late in the evening.

Will Hold May Party in Bellevue.

The Woman's club of Pittsburgh will hold its annual May party this season in Bellevue, having accepted yesterday the invitation of Miss Mathilda Orr Hays to be her guest on Tuesday, May 8, at her home in Bellevue. Forestry was the subject taken up at the meeting yesterday afternoon, Mrs. William J. Glenn being in charge. The proclamation of Gov. Pennypacker setting aside April 6 and 20 as Arbor days this season was read by Mrs. S. G. Rosenstock, who also read the circular letter sent out by Miss Myra Lloyd Dock of Harrisburg in February to the Women's clubs of the state federation, asking them to observe Arbor day and interest themselves in the advancement of the forestry movement, not so much on a large scale as in the beautifying of their own homes and cides. Miss Helen Grimes, chairman of forestry in the Congress of Women's Clubs, was a guest of the Woman's club and gave a general talk on forestry work. Mrs. Glenn spoke on "The Passing of the Forest," Mrs. John D. Hamilton giving a brighter and contrasting picture in "The Future of Our Deserts," describing the great work of irrigation carried on in the western states, where once arid lands have been made to be fruitful. John Davies, a well known authority on birds and trees, who is spending the spring and summer in Sewickley, addressed the club, giving a talk on trees and their care. He is widely known as a tree doctor.

An Outing in June.

The Colonial club will hold its election of officers on the occasion of its annual outing in Riverview park, Allegheny, on Thursday, June 5. Arrangements were made for it at a meeting yesterday afternoon in the Hotel Henry. Mrs. William Pennock, president of the club, presided. A number of new books were reviewed by Mrs. Emma Ray, Mrs. G. B. Kellogg, who spent last summer in Europe, described St. Peter's in Rome, illustrating her talk with photographs. The literary paper for the afternoon was presented by Mrs. Annie E. Horne, who discussed the life and work of Edgar Allen Poe.

Will Organize Alumni.

At an informal meeting of a few of the graduates of the Pittsburgh College of Pharmacy in the office of B. E. Pritchard in the Bessemer building last night, steps were taken toward effecting a permanent organization of the alumni. Arrangements were also made for a banquet, which will be given on Thursday evening, April 19. E. A. Schaefer, J. R. Thompson and George W. Kutscher were appointed on the committee of arrangements. B. E. Pritchard is secretary of the Western Pennsylvania Retail Druggists' association.

Miss Shedlock Coming Tomorrow.

Miss Marie L. Shedlock is expected to arrive in Pittsburgh tomorrow and will be the guest of Miss Caroline H. Hall. On Friday evening Miss Shedlock will give a lecture at the home of Dr. Hall and Miss Hall in Shady avenue, which will be followed by a reception. Miss Shedlock has many friends and admirers in Pittsburgh, having read several times in this city. "The Pathos and Humor of Hans Christian Anderson" will be the subject of her lecture Friday evening.

Industrial Exchange Opens.

The opening of the Easter sale at the Women's Industrial exchange occurred yesterday and will be continued today and tomorrow. The exchange rooms on the first floor were prettily decorated with spring flowers and vines, while in the luncheon rooms above the tables held bouquets of flowers. The display was very interesting, consisting of novel and dainty things in needlework for spring and others suitable for the summer homes in the country, at the seashore or the mountains.

Gives Birthday Party.

Miss Mary Ethel McConnell gave a birthday party at her home in Lithgow avenue, Allegheny, yesterday. The guests were Misses G. Oglevee, A. Snyder, L. Curry, B. Evans, E. Leech, C. James, M. Rice, F. Ebertshauser, C. Irler and R. McConnell, and Messrs. C. Elton, M. Evans, H. Oakley, R. Flynn, J. A. William, A. M. and T. W. McConnell and C. Landers.

Club Choral Gives Cantata.

At the meeting of the Tuesday Musical club yesterday afternoon in the Hotel Schenley the club choral sang Henry Hasley's cantata, "Legend of Granada." This is regarded as one of the most ambitious efforts of the choral, which gave a fine rendition of the work. John R. Roberts also sang a couple of groups of songs.

Tea for W. C. T. U.

The East End Woman's Christian Temperance Union gave a tea yesterday afternoon in the East Liberty board of trade rooms, which was well attended. Dr. S. J. Deemer gave several demonstrations of the presence of alcohol in liquids.

Will Study Shakespeare.

The Thursday Night Study club of Homestead was entertained yesterday at the home of Miss Belle Patton, in Eleventh avenue. It was decided to continue the study of Shakespeare next year. At the next meeting the study of "Love's Labor Lost" will be taken up.

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Pompadour Swiss Raye.
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A sheer cotton fabric in broken plaids, checks, shaded stripes and many other designs.
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In all the new Spring shades and tints.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

DANIEL HARRISON, Attorney-at-Law, No. 424 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.—To Charles Millosin and all others interested: Notice is hereby given that Mary Millosin, wife of Charles Millosin of the township of Stowe, county of Allegheny, state of Pennsylvania, on Saturday, March 24, 1906, presented her petition to the court of common pleas No. 1 of Allegheny county, Pa., at No. 121 June term, 1906, praying the court to decree her a femme sole trader, and that the same will be heard by said court on Saturday, the 7th day of April, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where you and your witnesses may attend and be heard. DANIEL HARRISON, attorney for petitioner.

DENIS A. E. BEHEN, Attorney-at-Law, Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Edward Merriman, deceased, late of the city of Allegheny, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. WM. B. MERRIMAN, Executor, No. 5722 Wycliffe street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOSEPH FORSYTHE, Attorney-at-Law, No. 624 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Francis Cooper, deceased, late of Patton township, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. T. H. Brunner, executor, Turtle Creek, R. F. D. No. 1, Allegheny county, Pa.

O'BRIEN & ASHLEY, attorneys-at-law, No. 422 Grant street, Pittsburgh. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Henry Geiks, deceased, late of Homestead, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Laura B. Geiks, administratrix, No. 1214 West st., Homestead, Pa.

CHARLES M. JOHNSON, Attorney-at-Law, No. 232 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of James W. Conant, deceased, late of city of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. THE UNION TRUST COMPANY OF PITTSBURGH, Administrator, No. 335 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

GEORGE H. LEPPER, Attorney-at-Law, No. 534 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.—Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Catherine Schwer, deceased, late of Allegheny City, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. JOHN SCHWER, No. 61 Clifton avenue, Allegheny, Pa.

SCHOYER & HUNTER, Attorneys-at-Law. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of D. B. Little, deceased, late of Swissvale, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Equitable Trust Co. of Pittsburgh, administrator, 509 Smithfield st.

W. S. MAXEY, Attorney-at-Law, 537 Peoples building, Pittsburgh. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Annie Kaczmarek, deceased, late of McKees Rocks borough, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Emilian Kaczmarek, Administrator.

IVORY, KISHADDON & MOORE, attorneys-at-law. No. 1156 Frick Annex, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration c. t. a. on the estate of Anna B. Stone, deceased, late of Sharpsburg, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. W. S. McKay, administrator, c. t. a. Address, No. 1161 Frick Annex, Pittsburgh, Pa.

LYON, McKEE & MITCHELL, attorneys-at-law, No. 1015 Park building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of John Burke, deceased, late of the city of Allegheny, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Alex A. Patterson, administrator. Address, No. 1015 Park building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

A. M. NEEPER, Attorney-at-Law, No. 1216 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Hugh Roney, deceased, late of Allegheny City, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Minnie Roney, executrix, No. 419 Rebecca st., Wilkinsburg, Pa.

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Teams Wanted. 630 Liberty street.

WANTED.

Male and Female Help.

YOUNG man for Saturday afternoon and evening in hat and gent's furnishing store. Arnseld & Jena, 4205 Butler st.

YOUNG MAN—To learn electrical trade. M. & M. Agency, 24½ Fifth st.

HAPGOODS.

SUPERINTENDENT—Must be thoroughly practical steel, iron and open-hearth worker, preferably of large physique and good executive. Location west. Salary, $3,000.00.

FIRST-CLASS mechanical engineer, thoroughly experienced in different branches of tube mill work and manufacturing end of business, in addition to engineering ability. $2,400.00-$5,000.00.

PRACTICAL ice machinery man who can take charge of erecting that class of work. $1,800.00.

ALL around foundry assistant superintendent; work not exacting as foundry is moderate size. $1,500.00.

WE can place several transitmen on railroad location work at $900.00 to start.

TWO first-class blast furnace draftsmen can be placed at $1,500.00 up.

WELL-KNOWN architects want man who can command good salary, having four or five years' experience. Must be first-class in every particular. $1,800.00 to start.

TWO draftsmen able to do detailing on blast furnace work, can obtain good position at $1,500.00 to start.

WELL-KNOWN iron company can use man who can read blue prints, fairly good on tracing work. $840.00.

WE CAN place topographical draftsman who is good letterer, good workman, rapid and accurate. $1,200.00.

THOROUGH newspaper and advertising man who can assist in building up trade paper can be placed with concern in which there is great future possibilities. $1,500.00.

THOROUGHLY experienced office manager, able to take charge of foundry work from office standpoint. Salary according to man.

HIGH-CLASS stenographer with sales ability who can interview office business and interest prospective buyers, can be placed with well-known company at $1,500.00 to $1,800.00.

YOUNG stenographers, some experience in general office work, understand filing and indexing, good penmen, quick and accurate at figures; not necessarily first-class in stenography but with good speed on typewriter, can obtain position with well-known concern, where opportunity for advancement is excellent. $720.00 to start.

TWO thoroughly experienced furniture salesmen, having first-class successful past records, can be placed with well-known out-of-town firm. $1,500.00 to $1,800.00.

ANY man having good successful record and actual experience in public accountant's office can learn of excellent opportunity through us. Salary depends entirely upon man's record and ability.

FIRST-CLASS, active, natural-born salesman, preferably having experience in machinery and boiler work, of natural mechanical ability, can be placed with a firm. $1,200.00 to start and certain advancement.

BRICK salesman, having some experience, wanted to cover territory Pittsburgh to Erie and Cleveland, east to Altoona. $75.00 and expenses to start, and more if man can show he is worth it.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING ABOVE AND OTHER OPENINGS, CALL OR WRITE HAPGOODS, 705 PARK BUILDING, PITTSBURGH, PA.

Female Help.

BOOKKEEPER WANTED—A bright young lady bookkeeper; one having at least three years' experience in double entry bookkeeping; state reference and salary expected; none other need apply. Address R 62, The Gazette.

CASH GIRLS—Must be 14 years and over. Apply first floor office.

SOLOMON'S.

CHAMBERMAIDS, $6; waitress, $7; housekeeper $4 50; pantry girls, $5. Second floor, 439 Fourth ave.

CHECKERS—Experienced, for laundry. Apply Mohn Bros., 2632 Penn ave.

COOK wanted; an experienced colored cook. 4754 Wallingford st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

M'CREERY AND COMPANY Require experienced sleeve makers and helpers; none but those accustomed to fine work need apply. Alteration room, 12th floor, Sixth ave. side.

EXPERIENCED POLISHERS, checkers and sorters. Oakland Hand Laundry, 328 Atwood st.

EXPERIENCED bindery girls. Duncan Printing Co., 1503 Liberty ave.

EXPERIENCED hands for alteration department. Givens, 222 Fifth ave.

FITTERS for cloak and suit departments for city and out of town. Givens, 222 Fifth ave.

GERMAN, Swedish and country girls especially; city references. 207 W. Ohio.

GIRL—Competent white girl for general housework and a working nurse for an old lady. 5524 Stanton ave., Pittsburgh, E. E.

GIRL, 16 to 17 years old, to wrap candy. Apply 1241 Penn ave.

GIRL for general housework. One who is able to cook. Small family. Inquire at 5846 Center ave.

GIRLS wanted at once for factory work; from 16 years of age up. B. B. & B. Trunk Co., 520 Wood st.

GIRL for general housework; references required. 749 Millvale ave., Shadyside.

GIRL—Wanted for general housework. Family of 3; apply Thursday morning, 280 Main st.

LADIES—Home work; stamping transfers; $1.50 to $3.00 dozen. 219 Sixth st., room 424.

M'CREERY AND COMPANY Require experienced waist makers and helpers; none but those accustomed to fine work need apply. Dressmaking department, 12th floor, Sixth ave side.

PARENTS can NOW PURCHASE SCHOLARSHIPS for sons and daughters on monthly payments; scholarships GUARANTEED money-making educations and honorable and profitable positions. DAY AND NIGHT SCHOOL FOR YOUNG AND MIDDLE-AGED MEN AND WOMEN. ACTUAL BUSINESS COLLEGE, Ten-Cent Store Bldg., 310 Fifth ave. CATALOGUE FREE. COMPLETE GRADUATING SCHOLARSHIPS ONLY $50. BEGIN NOW.

SEAMSTRESS—One who is experienced and can give best of references. Apply to Mr. Julius Baer, 2nd floor, Kaufmann's.

SIX experienced office girls. Apply at 8th floor office, Kaufmann's store.

TAILORESSES—Two experienced women to work on men's clothing; highest salaries paid to those giving the best references. Apply to Manager, 2nd floor, Kaufmann's.

TWO colored cooks for private family in city. One white waiter for restaurant, good pay.
STEEL CITY AGENCY,
534 Grant st.

WAIST AND SKIRT TRIMMERS.
WAIST AND SKIRT HELPERS.
MAGUIRE, 541 WOOD ST.

WAITRESSES—Two waitresses for city restaurant, at once.
STEEL CITY AGENCY,
534 Grant st.

WAIST and skirtmakers, also helpers wanted. Crailsheimer, 504 Penn ave.

WANTED—First-class skirt and waist workers. Call 624 Copeland st., East End.

WANTED—Girl for housework; two in family; $6. 207 W. Ohio.

WRAPPERS—Experienced wrappers wanted. Apply at first floor, K. SOLOMON & CO.

WANTED—A woman to do housework by day. Apply 305 Sandusky st., Allegheny.

Agents.

AGENTS—To sell new American mantles; nearest unbreakable; handled after burnt; outshines all; retail 15c; large profit, selling at sight; new agents making $5 day; sample mailed receipt 15c.
INCANDESCENT SUPPLY CO., 439 Sixth ave.

AGENTS wanted; salary or commission. Call 7 to 8 p. m. Great American Suit Co., room 502, Washington Bank Bldg., Fifth ave.

$35 a week and expenses to men with rigs to introduce our poultry goods. Orwon Co., Dept. 24, Parsons, Kan.

Male and Female Help.

BE INDEPENDENT; learn barbering, hairdressing and manicuring. NOSSOKOFF'S SCHOOL, 1405 Penn ave.

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WANTED.

Male and Female Help.

100 BOYS and girls to sell "a bunch of roses" after school near home; stamp for particulars. Address T 94, The Gazette.

MALE and female help supplied. WALKER'S, 612 Smithfield st., 'phone 230.

Situations—Male and Female.

BOOKKEEPER—Age 29; 7 years' experience. Address D 45, The Gazette.

COOK and butler wants position; reference. 207 W. Ohio st., Allegheny.

GERMAN girl wants housework; good cook and laundress; references. 207 W. Ohio.

HOUSEKEEPER wants position, widower's family; reference. 207 W. Ohio st., Allegheny.

POSITION wanted as assistant bookkeeper or office assistant, can furnish best of references. Address K 62, The Gazette.

SITUATION—By lady stenographer and assistant bookkeeper; experienced. Address Z 61, The Gazette.

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429 Smithfield st., shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping, penmanship, arithmetic, English; six months, $48; night sessions, $20. POSITIONS GUARANTEED. Books free. Monthly payments.

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WANTED—Young married couple desire room and board with respectable private family within or conveniently near business district of Pittsburgh; reference exchanged. Write, stating location and terms, Q 62, The Gazette.

Real Estate.

WANTED—To buy a 50-foot lot in Squirrel Hill or Perrysville ave. districts. Want spot cash price and location. S 227, The Gazette.

Houses.

WANTED—Seven-room house, with bath, in Perrysville ave. district, Allegheny, to cost between $4,500 and $4,500. Customer waiting.
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429 Fourth ave.

Miscellaneous.

BOUGHT, SOLD—Tools, machinery; office, store fixtures, cash registers, housefurnishings, safes, etc. SHAPIRO, 622 Grant st. 'Phone 2189-F.

EXPERT locksmith, door checks repaired. Axthelm Mfg. Co., 243 Third ave. Bell 851 Court. P. & A., 1579 Main.

SHOW CASES—Wanted to buy several floor show cases. Miles, the jeweler, 435 Smithfield st.

WANTED—Second-hand office partitions. Bell-Peterson Co., 502 Liberty ave.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

FOR RENT.—FURNISHED ROOMS.

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FIFTH AVE., 4217—Second floor front room, newly furnished; $2.75 weekly.

FIFTH, 3922—Two large furnished rooms for housekeeping. All conveniences; near Schenley hotel, Oakland.

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FORBES ST., 3441—Well furnished second story front room, stationery wash stand, fine location, lawn, etc.

FORBES ST., 3905—Well-furnished rooms; all conveniences; best location in Oakland district.

FRANKLIN ST., 808, Wilkinsburg—One large furnished front room; all modern conveniences. Terms reasonable.

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IDLEWILD ST., 7106—Second door from Lang ave., comfortably furnished rooms, all conveniences; suitable for two gentlemen. Board if desired.

KELLY ST., 312, Wilkinsburg—To let, first floor, $20; third floor, $10. 431 Rebecca st.

OAKLAND AVE., 335—Neatly furnished room, first class boarding, near Carnegie library and tech. school.

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East End.

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FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms. Board optional. Pure air, etc. Call Monday or later 6323 Penn ave.

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PRINCETON PLACE, 349—One, two or three furnished rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences; near all cars.

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Allegheny.

FEDERAL ST., 1416—Allegheny; furnished housekeeping rooms; bath, laundry, gases; $3.00.

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ROOMS AND BOARD.

City and Suburban.

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East End.

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City and Suburban.

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NEVILLE, 207—Two large rooms; gas, etc.; light housekeeping; no children.

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EUCLID AVE., 318, Allegheny—Two or three unfurnished rooms; bath, laundry; Perrysville avenue district; rent reasonable.

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BEST LOCATION IN CRAFTON.

Houses contain 11 rooms, reception hall, tile lined bathroom, laundry, w. c. and furnace in cellar (cellar cemented); finished throughout in hardwood; gas and electric light fixtures, cabinet mantels; decorated in the very best manner; most beautiful houses in Crafton; must be seen to be appreciated.

These houses will be sold at a bargain to quick buyers on easy terms.

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List it with

GUARDIAN TRUST CO., (Chairman),

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and 20 agencies will be put to work on it.

For list of agents and particulars write

GUARDIAN TRUST CO.,

241 Fourth ave.

A Delightful Suburban Home At Ingram on Easy Terms.

House of 8 rooms and attic, bath, inside w. c., lavatory, h. and c. water, natural gas, hardwood mantels, laundry, cement cellar, sewered; lot 100x190; large variety shade and fruit trees; chicken house and yard; price only $6,000; $500 cash, balance monthly; immediate possession; 5 minutes' walk to steam or electric cars; a beautiful situation, good neighborhood; pleasant surroundings; 6-cent fare to city. J. C. JAMISON, Ingram.

FOR SALE very cheap, 4 brick houses in Wilkinsburg, on Mifflin st.; take the East Pittsburgh or Forbes st. Wilkinsburg cars to Mifflin st. We can show you these houses in evening or at any time. $350 cash, balance monthly.

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House of 7 rooms and one acre of ground, within 40 minutes' ride of the heart of the city, which I will sell at a bargain to quick purchaser.

WILLIAM M. CRAIG,

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SHERADEN BOROUGH—Several good properties for sale; several for rent.

JOHN HALL, JR.,

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HIGHLAND DISTRICT—A new 10-room model brick reception hall house, with every modern convenience; tile bath, cabinet mantels and everything for an up-to-date house; price $7,800; lot 52x120. If you are looking for a home, here is a bargain. Inquire 622 West st., Wilkinsburg. Tel. 578-L, Wilkins.

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Nine 5-room houses in the center of Wilkinsburg; these houses will sell at a bargain; come quick.

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PRICE ONLY $3,500.

For Sale—West View, Pa., near cars; new frame, 8 rooms, bath, pantry, cabinet mantels, chandeliers, street paved and sewered; lot 30x140.

REAL ESTATE SAVINGS & TRUST CO.,

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WILL SELL ON EASY TERMS.

West Pittsburgh: A 7-room frame house, bath, sliding doors, cabinet mantels, etc., $200 to $300 cash, balance to suit. Price $2,500.

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6 lovely buff and red brick houses; attractive and modern; all conveniences; $5,000; $500 cash, $40 per month, to select parties; get off car at Soffel st.

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For Sale—6 rooms and attic, gas, bath and range; elegantly papered throughout; 3 minutes to cars; price $2,500 on reasonable terms.

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Good Frankstown avenue frontage. Some good business property and fine dwellings.

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HAVE your real estate titles examined and insured by Land Trust Co., 315 Fourth ave.

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Residence corner North Highland and Grafton ave., Pittsburgh; elegant location; lot 71x146 ft.; 11-room reception-hall brick house; both gas and electric light, laundry, furnace and a good stable. Submit us your best proposition at once as the best offer received on or before 5 o'clock p. m. Thursday, April 5, will be accepted. Good terms to responsible party. Telephone or write owners.

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Solid brick center hall residence of 12 rooms, three baths, hardwood finish; dining room, library and halls wainscoted; lavatory on first floor; excellent neighborhood, surrounded by colonial houses ranging from $22,000 to $30,000; owner leaving city, will sell for $17,500. (E. E. 204).

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Buff brick, center hall, 12 rooms, three baths, hardwood finish and all modern conveniences; lot 50 ft. front; immediate possession.

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Pure air. The farthest point possible from the noise and dirt of the city; 16 rooms, hardwood finish and floors; extra fine hall and fireplaces, bath, laundry, cellar; all modern as can be made. Price only $18,000 (148 I).

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FOR SALE—12-room brick house, 351 Pacific ave., East End.

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DON'T OVERLOOK THIS BARGAIN.

88-acre farm on main road only 61-2 miles from Jefferson, Ohio, (county seat of Ashtabula county), 3 miles to R. R. depot, where 6 passenger trains stop daily; house of 8 rooms in fine repair; nearly new barn, 40x45; excellent soil, about 15 acres of timber, fruit; free mail delivery; telephone in house. This farm is cheap at $3,000, but if sold before April 15, will include 6 good cows, 2 horses, set double harness, binder, mower, plow, harrow, cultivator, buggy, wagon and many small tools. I have 50 other farms. Send for catalog.

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FOR EXCHANGE.

We have a property netting 9 per cent; will trade for clear improved or unimproved.

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MORTGAGE MONEY in any amount.

J. N. KIDNEY & CO., 424 Fourth ave.

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In Pa. county seat of 20,000 people; located near depot; house is a 4-story brick, containing 50 rooms, 35 guest rooms; commercial rate $2 per day; bar receipts average $40 per day; rent $37 per month; price, $5,500, including entire furnishment and lease.

CHARLES W. TURNER,

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FOR SALE—An up-to-date laundry in a nearby town doing a fine business of $250 per week. This is the only laundry in the city. Cheap rent and a money maker for a good man. Price $3,000.

Grocery Store—One of the best in East End district; will invoice $2,500. Price $1,700.

W. J. BOYD,

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GROCERY STORE AND MEAT MARKET—One of the finest locations on Hamilton ave.; rent $45 per month, including nine living rooms; present proprietor re-rents part of the rooms to good advantage; former price for this business, $1,200; but for reasons that will be explained later, if sold by Tuesday, will sacrifice and sell for.....$700

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LIGHT HARDWARE—In excellent location, near the city; has good slate and tin roofing trade, also gas fitting and plumbing; large storeroom and 5 living rooms, cleared above expenses $2,500 last year. Terms $1,700 cash. Price, $3,500.

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL ICE CREAM

and Confectionery Store of 20 years' standing; excellent location; no competition; good opportunity for right party.

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A RARE CHANCE.

FOR SALE—Drygoods, entire stock of drygoods, notions, hosiery, underwear, oil cloths, window shades, etc., to be sold, with three-year lease for store and dwelling. Established trade, good location. Phillip Silverman, 1229 Fifth ave.

CHEWING GUM SLOT MACHINE BUSINESS—Will sell all rights and privileges of 250 machines; good locations in the large eastern cities; business will clear from $225 to $275 per month above all expenses; terms $675 cash. Price.....$875

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COMPLETE furnishings and lease of 6-room house with bath, good location. Cost $650 four months ago. Includes four-piece leather upholstered suit, large Edison phonograph, 200 records and cabinet. Owner leaving city; will sacrifice all for $375.

J. J. LAWRENCE & CO.,

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GROCERY STORE—Doing a business of $50 per day, all cash; no soliciting or delivering; one of the best locations in the city; rent only $25 per mo.; will sell at invoice price and reduce stock to suit purchaser; invoice $1,500

THE HOOD REALTY COMPANY,

Fifth Floor Fidelity Bldg., 341 Fourth ave.

WE make a specialty of selling stores, saloons and hotels and business opportunities of all kinds; business strictly confidential; communicate with us if you are thinking of buying or selling.

S. V. THOMPSON CO., 360 Times bldg.

EGGS—Wanted to furnish to good reliable merchants fresh selected eggs by the case at wholesale price delivered. Address S. Robinson, Kanawha station, Wood county, W. Va.

STORES, HOTELS, SALOONS, ETC.

QUICKLY SOLD for cash through our agency; real estate exchanged for stocks of merchandise; improved for unimproved real estate, etc.; if you want to make quick deal without publicity, call or write

B. R. FAULKNER & CO., INC'D.

(Business established in 1893.)

1167 Arrott Bldg., Fourth ave. and Wood st.

DRUG AND PRESCRIPTION BUSINESS, also fixtures for sale; reason for selling have another business. Will sell at invoice or jump. Here is an excellent opportunity to a druggist or one who wants to go into the business. 1129 Pennsylvania ave., Allegheny.

ROOMING HOUSE—North ave., Allegheny, 14 rooms, clearing $50 per mo.; house furnished complete throughout; price.....$500

THE HOOD REALTY COMPANY,

Fifth Floor Fidelity Bldg., 341 Fourth ave.

IT WILL PAY YOU, before buying or selling any kind of business, to see Kurtz & Seehausen, 207 Fitzsimons Bldg., 324 Fourth ave.

BARBER SHOP AND CIGAR STAND—Light and heat, hot and cold water, cheap. 721 Brushton ave.

FOR SALE.

Business Opportunities.

SEND for our price list of North Dakota holdings, which we are closing out at rock bottom prices, to comply with the national banking law.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK, Mandan, N. D.

GROCERY STORE, in the center of Allegheny, doing a good business; will sell for $650 if sold at once. 1201 Arch street, Allegheny.

FOR SALE—SHOE STORE doing a good business in a town of 25,000, within 30 miles of Pittsburgh; good reason for selling. Address N 62, The Gazette.

GROCERY STORE—In city, good location, doing cash business $500 week; great bargain; price, $2,000. CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH & CO., 431 Fourth ave.

Horses and Vehicles.

FITZSIMMONS' AUCTION.

200 High-Class Horses 200

AT AUCTION,

Wednesday, April 4,

At 10 O'Clock.

Driving Horses,

Coach Horses.

Draught Horses,

General Purpose Horses.

At 10 O'Clock.

Will sell 100 head used in and around the city.

At 11 O'Clock.

Lem Price, Moundsville, W. Va., 40 head good using Virginia horses.

At 1 O'Clock.

40 head driving and coach horses. One team sorrel coach horses, 6 years old, 15.3 hands high, well mated, sound and broke for lady to drive.

One team seal brown cob horses, 15½ hands high, well mated, sound and broke to all objects.

One team seal brown cob ponies, 12½ hands high, high actors; can trot a 4-minute clip, well mated and broke for children to drive.

Handsome bay cob horse, 16 hands high, high actor, fearless of all objects.

Black Shetland pony, well broke.

Grey hearse team, weighing 2,600, well broke, sound and 6 years old.

3 O'Clock.

T. H. Beaver, Perrysville, O., 20 head of those good draught horses, including several mated teams.

4 O'Clock.

D. B. Lee, Carroll County, 20 general purpose horses.

5 O'Clock.

A stable outfit, platform trap, Eastern make; one Stanhope buggy, one ¾ full leather top buggy, one runabout, one gentleman's speed wagon and harness.

A Place for Buyers—A Place for Sellers.

Do not forget the place and date.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4.

OWEN FITZSIMMONS,

406-412 Duquesne way.

Books now open for Catalogue Sale, May 9, 10, 11 and 12. The time and place to buy and sell.

Consign early and get benefit of all advertisements.

OPENING SALE

To start the ball rolling, we shall sell the following vehicles at lower prices than have ever before been quoted for similar grades:

4 Runabouts, steel tire, cloth or leather cushions, regular prices $65.00 and $63.00.....$ 47 50

5 Runabouts, best rubber tire, cloth or leather cushions, regular price $80.00.....67 50

3 Concord Wagons, steel tire, leather trim, regular price $65.00 and $75.00.....52 50

8 Runabouts, best rubber tire, leather or cloth cushions, regular price $95.00.....69 50

3 Runabouts, 1¼ inch cushion tires, regular price $135.00.....107 50

4 Top Buggies, steel tire, leather or cloth cushions, regular price $65.00.....50 00

3 Top Buggies, best rubber tires, cloth or leather cushions, regular price $85.00.....65 00

2 Surreys, cut-under, canopy or extension top, best rubber tires, cloth or leather trim, regular price $160.00.....122 50

2 Surreys, cut-under, canopy or extension top, cloth or leather trim, regular price $180.00.....125 00

This offer, better than we have ever made before, is based on cost values, and will be continued for two weeks only. Avail yourself of an opportunity that is genuine. Examine these values and you will purchase.

All vehicles in this sale price are fully guaranteed, as is our usual custom.

GERBER CARRIAGE CO.

115-123 Seventh Street.

HORSES FOR SALE—80 head of acclimated horses; two big stallions on farm; one mile from Freeport, Pa. Grant Shuster.

Machinery.

FEED WATER HEATERS.

1000 H. P. Wickes, open type.
800 H. P. Wainwright, brass tubes.
600 H. P. National, copper coil.
500 H. P. Webster, copper pans.
400 H. P. American, copper coils.
300 H. P. Excelsior, open type.
200 H. P. Berryman, copper coil.
125 H. P. American, copper coil.
100 H. P. Pittsburgh, open type.
50 H. P. Brass tubes.
25 H. P. Webster, brass coil.
Also Boilers, Engines, Pumps, etc.

WICKES BROS.,

Both 'Phones. 45th St. and A. V. R. R.

Loud hand pumps and hose connections, Van Vie centrifugal pumps, horizontal and vertical; belt and engine driven Worthington duplex pumps.

THOS. CARLIN'S SONS CO.,

1600 River Ave., Allegheny.

FOR SALE—Boilers and engines, all sizes, from 3 to 125 H. P., stationary and portable upright boilers and engines; large assortment kept in stock; shafting, pulleys and hangers and large lot miscellaneous machinery, second-hand belting, leather and rubber; large stock of all sizes at low prices; machinery of all kinds bought and exchanged.

JOHN S. YOUNG,

108-110 Park way, Allegheny, Pa.

Brownell Steam Engines and Boilers.
Warren Gas and Gasoline Engines.
Fairbanks-Morse Gas and Gasoline Engines.
Fairbanks-Morse Dynamos and Motors.
Fairbanks-Morse Steam Pumps.
Brooks Centrifugal Pumps.
Cold Rolled Steel Shafting, Hangers, etc.

TRANTER MANUFACTURING CO.,

106 Water st.

FOR SALE—All kinds second-hand machinery and boilers, rails and contractors' equipment; wanted, scrap iron in any quantity.

HIRSCH & PFLAMM,

South ave. and Walker st., Allegheny.

Bell 'Phone 1478 Cedar.

FOOS GAS ENGINES.

We will move April 1 to 114 Market st., with Howe Scale Co. Telephone Court 424.

FOOS GAS ENGINE COMPANY,

124 First ave.

GAS ENGINE. GASOLINE.

Marine and Stationary. Any type.

THE FAIRBANKS COMPANY, 344 24 ave.

FOR SALE.

Sewing Machines.

SPECIAL ATTENTION TO SEWING MACHINE REPAIRING BY FIRST-CLASS WORKMEN; GENUINE NEEDLES; attachments and parts for ALL MAKES; LOWEST PRICES, all work GUARANTEED.

CARTER SEWING MACHINE CO.,

General Agents. Bell 3340-J Grant.

121 SIXTH ST., NEXT BIJOU THEATER.

Automobiles.

FOR SALE—A 1905 Rambler touring car, with top and wind shield, in good condition; can be seen at Banker Bros. Address offer to H. Hagan, 1452 Irwin ave.

Safes.

MOVING—Safes almost given away. W. Prager, 7 Market st.

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Pure Louisiana cane syrup, 60 cents per gallon. Apply to F. M. Brewer, Crystal Springs, Miss.

FOR SALE—Fancy second-hand garments; ladies' and gents' (private house). J. Wald, 1841 Webster ave., Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE—Fine large coal range, cost $45. Will sell for $15. Inquire 1169 Jane st., Wilkinsburg.

SHOW CASES for sale, several floor show cases. Miles, the jeweler, 435 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

WE HAVE about 20 second-hand soda fountains for sale. J. C. Buffum Co., 192 Third ave.

BAR fixtures, billiard tables; easiest terms. DELP'S, Fourth and Liberty.

LOT of second-hand building brick. John Eichleay, Jr. Co., South Twentieth and Wharton sts.

FOR SALE—Bookkeeper's desk and stool, cheap. Room 706 Home Trust bldg.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3531 Butler st. Both telephones.

WE sell and buy everything. Delp's, 2219 Fifth ave.

PERSONALS.

SHANAHAN TRANSFER AND STORAGE COMPANY'S

New, Indestructible, Fireproof Furniture Storage Warehouse. Separate Fireproof Apartments. The Only Absolutely Fireproof Furniture Storage Warehouse in America. Indestructible Reinforced Concrete Construction. Cannot Burn.

PADDED VANS. WAGONS FOR MOVING.

Estimates Given. Telephone 1849 Grant.

SHANAHAN TRANSFER AND STORAGE COMPANY,

Magee St., Near Fifth Ave. Telephones 1849.

PERSONAL—Any person desiring to find the best place in these cities for the cleaning and dyeing of ladies' and gentlemen's felt and straw hats, or for the cleaning, dyeing and curling of ostrich plumes, is respectfully directed to Wm. Grabowsky, 707 Penn ave. Telephone 2070. This is the best place because service is strictly up to the minute and price most reasonable.

SHOE REPAIRING.

Best in the city. 420 Diamond st., above Smithfield.

PEACH BLOW CREAM, the FAMOUS SKIN FOOD, cures eczema, PIMPLES, WRINKLES, BLACKHEADS, FRECKLES; BEAUTIFIES COMPLEXION, 50c at MAY'S.

CORNS, bunions, ingrown nails, warts, cured without pain by Dr. McKenzie, 756 Liberty ave., corner Wood st. Both feet, $1. Open day and evening.

PERSONAL—Ladies and gentlemen, cash paid for cast-off clothing. Address Gassel, 2229 Fifth ave. Bell 'phone 939-J Grant; P. & A. 891-M.

CASH PAID FOR CAST-OFF GARMENTS. LADIES' AND GENTS'. WRITE J. WALD, 1841 WEBSTER AVE. P. & A. PHONE 5381-M.

UPHOLSTERING and furniture repairing and polishing at your home; floors polished. Henry Field, 1501 Bluff st.

MISS HOWER, manicuring and shampooing, 110 Federal st., Allegheny. Second floor.

WE do locksmithing. Axthelm Mfg. Co., 243 Third ave. Bell 851 Court.

DR. TEMPLETON, DENTIST, room 612, Fulton building.

1 YEAR repairs and insures any watch. 302 Seventh ave.

REMOVALS.

GEO. H. ALEXANDER & CO., Inc. Stationers and Office Outfitters, have removed to their new building, 300 Wood st., corner Third ave., four doors from former location.

ATTORNEY.

John A. Best, Jr., has removed from Farmers Bank building to

610 Bakewell Law Bldg.

HARDWARE.

STEINER & VOEGTLY,

REMOVED TO

230 TO 234 DIAMOND ST.

CALL AND SEE US.

STOVES & HOUSEFURNISHINGS,

HOTEL AND KITCHEN SUPPLIES.

DEMMLER & SCHENCK CO.

Have removed from 624-626 Liberty street to

434 PENN AVE.,

to the White Front Bldg., below Fifth street.

WHOLESALE CONFECTIONER.

L. A. BUTLER.

Formerly located at 628-630 Liberty street, has removed to

432 Penn Ave.,

Near Fifth street.

CUT THESE OUT. YOU MAY WANT TO REFER TO THEM BEFORE YOU RECEIVE THE NEW CITY DIRECTORY.

LOST.

LOST—On Woods Run car Monday afternoon red leather pocket price book. A suitable reward will be paid for its return to 124 First ave.

LOST—Card case containing money, between May's and Fourth ave. and Smithfield, via Fifth ave., Wood, Diamond and Smithfield. Liberal reward if returned to owner, 1841 Liberty st.

LOST—On Monday evening, between Union depot and Colonial hotel, a pocketbook containing about $56. A reward will be paid for return of same to The Gazette front office.

LOST—Ladies' gold watch and chain between 9 and 10 a. m. Tuesday morning. Liberal reward if left at Schafer's drug store, South Side.

LOST—Last Tuesday, on Wood st., between Oliver and Fourth aves., gold belt pin; reward. Hardy & Hayes Co.

FOUND.

FOUND—The ONLY place in Greater Pittsburgh for having men's and women's straw and felt hats cleaned and dyed; also the ONLY place for having ostrich plumes cleaned, dyed and curled. Where? Wm. Grabowsky's, 707 Penn ave. Why the ONLY place? Because the service is positively the very best and because prices are positively the very lowest.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN the court of common pleas No. 2, of Allegheny county, Pa., No. 571, April term, 1906. In the matter of the fourth and partial account of James J. Donnell, surviving trustee of John W. Chalfant, James J. Donnell and Alexander Nimick, trustees under deed of Alexander Nimick, et al., dated October 7, 1901, and recorded in the recorder's office of Allegheny county, in deed book, volume 778, page 1. Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed auditor to report a schedule of distribution of the funds now in the hands of the trustee above named, and that a meeting will be held at the office of the auditor, Room No. 508, Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday, April 16, 1906, at 2 o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of said appointment, at which time and place creditors and all others interested are requested to be present. R. B. Petty, auditor, Pittsburgh, Pa., March 20, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Monday, the 23d day of April, 1906, by J. Slater Crawford, M. D., John Gondie, E. C. Lichtey and David Evans, under the act of assembly, entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Pittsburgh Lock and Novelty Company, the character and object of which is the manufacture of iron or steel or both and the manufacture and sale of locks, bolts and other like novelties, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. Robt. S. Chess, solicitor, 450 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

H. I. RILEY, Attorney-at-Law, No. 420 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Wm. J. Reed, deceased, late of city of Allegheny, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. John C. Reed, Sr., administrator, Brighton road and Terminal ave., Allegheny, Pa.

FRANK R. STEWARD, Attorney-at-Law, 555 Craft st. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of William Captain, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Wylie Captain, administrator, 20 Tannehill st., Pittsburgh.

C. J. WEITERSHAUSEN, Notary Public. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Louis Reuter, deceased, late of Allegheny, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Henry Reuter, 1702 Irwin avenue, Allegheny, Pa.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration, pendente lite, on the estate of Alexander M. Black, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Colonial Trust Co., administrator pendente lite, Nos. 317 Fourth ave. and 314 Diamond st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

DUNN & MOORHEAD, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 123 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of John Clements, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Jane Clements, executrix, No. 7010 Bennett st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOHN REBMAN, JR., Attorney-at-Law, No. 426 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Henry R. Hunter, deceased, late of Plum township, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. William E. Woodwell, John Woodwell, executors, No. 211 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

R. C. DUNCAN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 342 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Susan M. Banks, deceased, late of the borough of Bellevue, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Robert M. Dain, William B. Mowry, executors, Mellon National bank.

JAMES M'LAREN, Attorney-at-Law, No. 426 Diamond street, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration, c. t. a., on the estate of William Hopkins, deceased, late of Allegheny City, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Mary S. Hopkins, administratrix, c. t. a. No. 2324 Maple avenue, Allegheny, Pa.

H. B. GOEHRING, Attorney-at-Law, No. 316 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Agnes W. Lynch, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Michael Walt, administrator, No. 226 Eighth avenue, Homestead, Pa.

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MARRON & M'GIRR, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 522 Frick building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Lee Woodwell, deceased, late of Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. William E. Woodwell, John Woodwell, executors, No. 211 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

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STOCKS OPENED STRONG, BUT CLOSED IRREGULAR

Amalgamated Copper and Union Pacific Led the Speculation—Call Loans Reached 12 Per Cent. Local Stock Market Steady.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York market was a little less active for both stocks and bonds yesterday, but on the whole it was a big market, the transactions being much larger than the daily average for March. Toward the close of the day trading became quieter and some irregularity developed. Final prices in the railroad list averaged slightly lower than the close on Monday. There was no session of the Chicago board of trade on account of the municipal election in Chicago.

Call loan rates ruled a little higher than expected, reaching 12 per cent late in the afternoon, the range being between that figure and 5½, the final rate being 7 per cent. London advices reported an easier market there, with some expectation of the Bank of England rate being reduced tomorrow. The weekly statement of the Imperial Bank of Germany showed an increase of more than $69,000,000 in loans and a decrease of nearly $36,400,000 in cash. These large changes always occur at the end of a quarterly period, but there is a quick return to normal conditions as soon as settlements are completed. It could not be said that foreign news had any influence in Wall street, and transactions for London account were small.

The market opened strong, with the largest advance in Missouri Pacific, but shortly after the opening Amalgamated Copper and Union Pacific took the leadership, and they retained this position to the close. Amalgamated advanced to 112¾ and closed at 112⅝, a net gain for the day of ⅞ per cent. Anaconda Copper closed 2⅛ higher and Smelting ⅞ higher. The last named advanced to 163½, a recovery of 6½ per cent from the low point of last week. National Lead closed 1⅝ higher than on Monday.

Union Pacific had the benefit of a favorable report for February, showing an increase in gross earnings of $906,000 and an increase in net of $329,000. For eight months of the company's fiscal year the gross earnings have increased $5,832,000 and the net has increased $2,567,000. The stock rose from 158 to 159⅝, the highest on this movement and within a fraction of the highest ever quoted.

The report of Southern Pacific for February was even more favorable, showing an increase of $1,419,000 in gross and an increase of $622,000 in net. For the eight months of the fiscal year the gross has increased $6,545,000 and the net has increased $2,892,000. The stock was moderately active, but closed the same as on Monday.

Pennsylvania opened at 140¼, which was high for the day. It later reacted to 139¾ and closed at 140, a loss of ¼ per cent. There was some disappointment that the stock failed to respond to the fine report of earnings for February, which showed an increase in gross earnings on lines directly operated of $2,216,000, and an increase in net earnings of $1,119,000. For the two months of the calendar year net earnings have increased $2,553,000. The slight reactionary tendency in this stock, as well as in Reading, was thought to be due to the uncertainties connected with the anthracite coal situation. At the conference in New York no progress was reported during market hours. It is also possible that the talk of a fight of bituminous coal operators in the Pittsburgh district had a sentimental influence upon the market. Baltimore & Ohio was less active and closed 1⅛ per cent below Monday.

The Steel stocks were moderately active and firm. United States Steel common and preferred each closed a small fraction higher.

Consolidated Gas made another new low point, declining to 137⅝ from 141¼, but recovered to 140¾ at the close. The weakness in this stock had no effect upon the general market.

The local stock market was dull but steady, with the exception of Cable Consolidated. The latter sold to the extent of 8,350 shares at prices ranging from 84c to 86c, closing at the lowest, a net loss for the day of 5c a share. The traders seemed to look upon the declaration of the 1 per cent dividend after the close of the market on Monday as exhausting the good news for the present, and inasmuch as the period covered by the dividend was not specified there was no basis for calculating the investment yield of the stock. Consolidated Gas sold at 37, an advance of ½, and just before the close was bid up to 38, the highest price of the year and $13 a share above the low price of January. The street is still in the dark as to the real basis for the movement, but it is surmised that some deal is being negotiated for the retirement of the stock by exchange for some new security. Crucible Steel was moderately active, the common closing a shade higher and the preferred unchanged. Nearly 600 shares Pittsburgh Coal preferred changed hands at prices ranging from 59¾ to 61, the stock being offered at 60 at the close. The common declined to 16 bid, 16½ asked. River Coal preferred was a fraction higher at 23½. Pittsburgh Plate Glass was strong, selling up to 118 and closing at 118¼ bid at the close. Air Brake was unchanged at 154 and Electric at 80. The rest of the industrial list was very quiet. The feature of the banking group was the demand for Guarantee Title and Trust, which advanced to 185.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

15	Crucible pfd..	79	
50	Con. Ice com.	8	
50	P. Brw. com.	28½	
25	do.	29	
14	Exch. N. B..	84	
5	do.	84	
100	Run Coal pfd.	23½	
50	H. W.R. com.	11	
20	do.	11	
200	Cable Consol.	84	
200	do.	84	
200	do.	84	
50	do.	84	
500	do.	84	
10	Mfrs. L. & H.	32	
20	do.	31	
20	do.	31	

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

500	Cable Consol.	83	
500	do.	82	
100	do.	82	
500	do.	82	
500	do.	81	
50	Cable Consol.	82	
100	do.	81	
100	do.	82	
200	do.	81	
10	P. Pl. Glass..	113	
10	Crucible pfd..	79	

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

100	Crucible com.	15	
$2000	Sew. Pipe 6s	101¾	
10	P. Coal pfd..	61	
200	do.	61½	
35	do.	60	
100	do.	60	
20	do.	60	
169	do.	59⅞	
100	do.	60	
100	Un.Trac. pfd.	59	
10	P. Brw. com.	29	
5	do.	28¾	
6	do.	29	
20	do.	28¾	
10	do.	28¾	
10	do.	28⅞	
100	Cable Consol.	81	
400	do.	81	
50	Crucible pfd..	79	
100	do.	79	
50	do.	79	
500	Cable Consol.	82	
100	do.	82	
200	do.	81	
500	do.	81	
100	Crucible com.	15¼	

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

200	U.S. Stl. com.	43	
100	Cable Consol.	81	
200	do.	81	
200	do.	81	
200	do.	81	
100	do.	81	
20	Crucible pfd..	79	
70	do.	79	

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

65	Crucible pfd..	79	
55	Run. Coal pfd.	23½	
500	Ohio Tonopah.	47	
200	Ind. Brw. 6s.	107	
$3000	do.	107	
10	Guar. T. & T.	185	

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

20	Guar. T. & T.	184	
10	do.	185	
10	do.	185	
25	do.	185	
15	do.	185	
200	Cable Consol.	81	
100	do.	81	
100	do.	81	
50	do.	81	
500	do.	80	
25	P. Coal pfd.	59¾	
4	do.	59¾	
100	P. Pl. Glass.	115	
50	Mfrs. L. & H.	31	

*And interest.

Summary.

STOCKS.	High	Low	Last Sale	C'ge.
Sales.				
8350 Cable Cons	.84	.80	.80	—.05
60 Cons. Ice com.	8	8	8	0
50 Cons. Gas pfd.	37	37	37	+ ⅛
200 Crucible Steel..	15⅞	16	15⅞	+ ⅛
115 Do preferred..	79	79	79	0
900 H.-W. Ref. com.	11	11	11	0
100 Mfrs. L. & H.	31	31	31	0
500 Ohio Tonopah.	.47	.47	.47	—.01
171 Pgh. Brewing	29	28¾	28⅞	0
584 Pgh. Coal, pfd.	61	*59¾	*60¾	⅝
310 Pgh. Plate Glass	118	118	118	+1
200 River Coal pfd.	23½	23⅛	23½	⅜
10 Sewer Pipe	34½	34½	34½	0
700 United Copper	69¾	69¼	69¼	+1¼
100 Unlted Trac. pfd.	59	59	59	+¾
200 U. S. Steel com.	43	42	43	+¾
50 West. Alkalie	154	154	154	0
2 West. Elec. Ists.	90	90	90	0
200 Do 5s	80	*79	*79	—2
53 West Penn com.	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝	— ⅛
BANKS.				
5 Pk. of Pgh., N. A.	170	170	170	—14
10 Colonial Trust	360	360	360	—5
20 Exchange Nat.	*84½	84	*84½	+1½
132 Guarantee T. & T.	185	184	185	+10
21 Iron City Trust	127	127	127	+1
15 Merchants S. & T.	50	50	50	—2½
12224				
BONDS.				
$4000 Ind. Brew. 6s	107	107	107	0
1000 Sewer Pipe 5s	101¾	101¾	101¾	0
$5000				

*Less than 10 shares. †And interest.

Closing Bids and Offers.

BONDS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Pittsburgh Stock Exchange	....	....	$100
Pittsburgh Banks—			
Bank of Pittsburgh	50	160	....
Exchange National	50	84	....
Fourth National, Pittsburgh	100	....	140
Fidelity Title and Trust	100	530	545
Guarantee Title and Trust	100	184	185
Iron City Trust	100	129	....
Marine National	100	....	150
Real Estate Trust	100	....	227
Second National, Pittsburgh	100	....	260
Allegheny Banks—			
Allegheny Trust, Allegheny	100	....	150
Miscellaneous—			
American Window Glass pfd.	100	31½	....
American Sewer Pipe	100	34½	34¾
Cable Con.	50	80	....
Consolidated Gas preferred	50	38	39
Consolidated Ice preferred	50	40	....
Crucible Steel	100	15	15¾
Do preferred	100	....	79½
Harbison-Walker Company	100	11½	11⅝
Do preferred	100	79½	80
Independent Brewing	50	13¾	....
Do preferred	50	41¼	41½
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	20⅝	....
Marsden	100	2½	2¾
Monongahela River Coal pfd.	50	23⅝	....
Monongahela Water	25	24½	....
National Fire Proofing	50	7¼	8
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	....	25½
Ohio Tonopah Mining	1	.46	.48
Pittsburgh Oil and Gas	100	45	....
Peoples Pipage	25	....	26½
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	28⅞	29
Do preferred	50	49¾	50
Pittsburgh Coal	100	16	16½
Do preferred	100	59¾	60
Pittsburgh Plate Glass	100	118¼	....
Tonopah Extension Mining	1	10¾	10⅞
United Copper	100	69¾	....
United States Glass	100	69½	60
United States Steel	100	43	....
Do preferred	100	....	109
Westinghouse Electric	50	79¾	....
Westinghouse Air Brake	50	153	....
West Penn Rys.	100	24⅝	25
Do preferred	100	74½	77
BONDS.			
American Sewer Pipe 6s	....	....	101⅞
Independent Brewing 6s	....	107	....
North Side Bridge 6s	....	97	....
West Penn Rys. 6s	....	98	99

Unlisted Securities.

(Reported by Geo. W. MacMullen & Co.)

	Bid.	Ask.
Kansas Natural Gas	.50	....
Union Natural Gas	.108	....
Fayette County Gas	.96	99
Pure Oil	....	7¼
Dominion Gas	.60	70½
Rock Run Fuel Gas	....	45
Window Glass Machine com.	....	6
Window Glass Machine pref.	....	15
Nat. Union Fire Ins.	.150	....
Penna. Fuel	....	.62
Stewart Creek Mining Co.	....	.52
Red Rock Mining Co.	....	.65
Golden Anchor Mining Co.	1.25	1.30
Coast Range Mining Co.	....	.35
Orlental & Masbate Mining Co.	....	.15
Black Hills Copper (Ariz.)	.41	.42
Big O'Brien	.50	.55
Pgh. & Jerome	.20	.25
Jim Butler	1.65	....
Denver Bullfrog	....	1.50
BONDS.		
*Pittsburgh Oil & Gas 6s	....	95
*Union Steels 5s	99½	100
Ohio Valley Water	98½	....
SALES.		
300 shares Black Hills Copper	.41	
1000 shares Black Hills Copper	.40	
100 shares Black Hills Copper	.41	
2000 shares Big O'Brien	.50	

*And interest.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

Stock market operators gave a little more attention to movements in the money market yesterday than they did the day before. The 10 per cent rate touched on Monday was not unexpected, and it lasted for a short time only. Yesterday 12 per cent was quoted, and the ruling rate was between 6 and 7 per cent. The New York sub-treasury transferred $500,000 gold to San Francisco, which it was thought was for account of Japan's withdrawal of funds. New York has also sent $100,000 to New Orleans, and so far the drain upon the banks this week amounts to $1,894,000. A London cable has stated that the new Russian loan will be $250,000,000 5 per cent bonds at 90, and that Paris will probably take $100,000,000 and the remainder will go elsewhere. It was also reported that Paris had taken large amounts of gold in Berlin, thus forestalling the chances of securing further amounts there for New York account. Much reliance has been placed on the opening of foreign money resources to the needs of the New York market by reason of the restoration of confidence growing out of the Algeciras settlement. The continued accumulation of funds in Paris is taken for granted to be in preparation for the Russian loan and threatens to modify the foreign money outlook to that extent.

Pittsburgh Plate Glass advanced a dollar a share to 118, and closed at 118¼ bid. Masten & Company were the largest buyers. Liquidation in the warrants has been concluded, apparently, and offerings of the stock are now extremely light.

R. C. Hall was the buyer of Guarantee Title & Trust at the advance. Several small lots of the stock came out at 184 to 185, the final sale being at 185. Colonial Trust was slightly lower, 10 shares selling at 360. Iron City Trust was firmer, selling at 121. The annual meeting of the last named takes place April 17.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Mortgage Banking Company will be held April 10.

Very little Consolidated Gas preferred comes out on the advance. A sale of 50 shares late in the session occurred at 37, and the price was at once bid up to 38. The next dividend period does not occur until August.

The new Westinghouse Electric convertible bonds are quite active in the New York curb market. Brokers generally grade the bonds as a very fair 5 per cent investment at par, and ascribe the decline to liquidation of syndicate holdings, which amounted to about 20 per cent of the total issue.

The Consolidated Ice Company of Pittsburgh has declared the usual quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent on the preferred stock, payable April 20, to stock of record April 13.

The West Penn Railways Company has declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1¼ per cent on the preferred stock, payable May 1 to stock of record April 7. This is the second quarterly dividend paid on the preferred issue out of the earnings of the nine months of the fiscal year ended December 31, 1905. The net earnings of the company for the twelve months ended January 31, 1906, after paying expenses and interest amounted to $178,117. The amount required to pay 5 per cent per annum on the $2,750,000 preferred stock is $137,500. The net earnings as above are $35,617 in excess of preferred dividend requirements.

The Edison Illuminating Company of Boston has declared a quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent, payable May 1 to stockholders of record April 10.

The directors of the Pacific Coast Company will meet today and declare the regular quarterly dividends of 1¼ per cent on the first preferred stock and 1½ per cent on the second preferd and common stock.

The directors of the Lanston Monotype Machine Company declared the initial dividend of 2 per cent recommended by the executive committee last week. The dividend will be paid April 23 to holders of record April 9.

The Bell Telephone Company of Philadelphia declared the regular quarterly dividend of 1½ per cent, payable April 16, to holders of record April 5.

Pennsylvania Railroad 3½s of 1915 were again active on the New York board, about $800,000 changing hands at 98½ to 99⅝.

The reported determination of the so-called independent soft coal operators to contest the terms conceded by the Pittsburgh Coal Company came in for serious consideration in Wall street, and was a factor in the reactionary tendency.

The important point of resistance to the reactionary tendency was Amalgamated Copper, which was bought on an enormous scale. Rumors were renewed of an intended increase in the dividend rate, following the advance in the dividend in the subsidiary Anaconda stock.

The earnings of the Bethlehem Steel Company for the year ended December 31, 1905, were $5,712,925; bond interest of the corporation and subsidiary companies, $548,538; balance, $2,755,399; depreciation of plant, $400,000; net income, $2,365,390; dividends, $521,780; surplus for the year, $1,843,619. The stockholders ratified the sale of $12,000,000 first extension 5 per cent gold bonds to Fisk & Sons. The retiring directors were re-elected.

It is announced that Rudolph Speckles and his father, Claus Speckles, purpose to build an opposition electric street railway system for San Francisco, whether the United Railroads Company of San Francisco agrees or refuses to install the conduit system.

Gross earnings of Wabash for the fourth week in March increased $89,404 and for the month increased $258,042.

Gross earnings of Denver & Rio Grande for February increased $218,168, and net increased $128,282.

Governor Higgins yesterday signed the New York city 50-cent gas bill, and Consolidated Gas broke to 137⅝, the lowest since 1897, and a loss of 4¼ per cent from the high price quoted three months ago.

The Diamond Brokerage Company, incorporated under the laws of New Jersey, this week took over the stock and grain business of J. C. Longdon & Company, located in the Diamond National Bank building. J. C. Longdon is manager of the new company.

A Chicago dispatch says: The general feeling seems to be that the reductions the Chicago Telephone Company is making in the price of its service to customers will lead soon to a reduction in the dividend rate on the stock. The company has reduced its surplus by $200,000 by the payment of back compensation to the city and another $100,000 is demanded.

An official of the National Carbon Company says: "The dividend declared on common stock payable this month is not a quarterly disbursement. It is the first time the company has paid a dividend between the semi-annual periods, but it signifies nothing more than that earnings permitted the action and another distribution will probably be made in July. We have no idea of putting the common stock on a fixed basis of dividends."

Following is the balance sheet of the Standard Oil Company of New York as of January 5, 1906:

	—Assets—		
Real estate		$ 6,430,559	$ 2128,447
Machinery and cons.		6,355,469	*1,429,267
Vessels		3,789,061	1583,527
Mdse. and stock		31,756,620	*27,382,787
Cash, debts receivable		45,952,747	*28,790,600
Stocks and bonds		8,145,289	*2,566,855
Stable equipment		610,180	*288,874
Patents			1973
Total		$107,891	*$60,339,891
	—Liabilities—		
Capital stock		$15,000,000	
Accounts payable		68,275,580	*$12,090,253
Plot. department		16,275,962	*46,683,570
Profit and loss		2,303,428	*1,886,068
Total		$107,891	*$60,339,891

‡Decrease. *Increase.

Philadelphia Stocks.

(Reported by Childs & Childs.)

STOCKS.	High	Low	Last Bid
Cambria Steel	36¾	36½	36⅝
Con. Lake Superior	20½	20½	20¾
Elec. Co. of America	11¾	11⅝	11⅝
Lehigh Valley	77¾	77	77⅜
Lehigh Nav.	109¾	109¾	109¾
Philadelphia Co.	50¾	50⅜	50⅜
Phila. Rapid Transit	29¾	29¾	29¾
Philadelphia Electric Co.	8 1-16	7⅞	7⅞
United Gas Imp.	95	94½	95

* 15-16.

Pig Iron Quotations.

NEW YORK, April 3.—(Special.)—Pig iron quotations at the 1:45 o'clock call on the produce exchange:

Regular Foundry. Stan. Foun.	Bid.	Ask.	Bid	Ask.	Bid	Ask.
April	16.25	....	16.50	17.00	17.75	18.00
May	16.25	....	16.40	17.10	17.60	18.00
June	16.25	....	....	....	17.50	18.10
October	16.25	....	....	....	17.25	17.75

Market firm.

Express Companies' Stocks.

Adams	248	United States	117
American	230	Wells-Fargo	236

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market remains firm at 6½@7 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$12,113,194 18	$ 3,250,465 98
Last week	7,595,365 15	1,785,002 56
Last year	9,243,843 78	1,701,253 85

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, April 3.—Supplies of money were increasingly abundant in the market today and the borrowings from the Bank of England were repaid. Discounts were easy. On the stock exchange the tone was improved by the clearer political outlook and cheap money, though business was rather quiet. Consols were in fair request. Consols for money 80 15-16. Consols for account 81⅛. Bar silver steady, 29 7-16d per ounce. Money 2@3 per cent. Discount for short bills 2 9-16@2⅝ per cent. Discount for three months bills 2 5/8@2¾ per cent.

PARIS, April 3.—Prices generally on the bourse today were firm but Russians declined owing to the imminence of a new Russian loan. Russian imperial fours were quoted at 82.10 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 318. Three per cent rentes, 99 francs, 70 centimes for the account. Exchange on London, 25 francs 18 centimes for checks.

BERLIN, April 3.—The tone on the bourse today was fascinating. Russians went down 3½.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 3.—Prices on the bourse today continued to fall. Imperial fours dropping a full point and closing at 76¾.

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, April 3.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the Seattle assay office, today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out yesterday $4,561. Total thus paid since Friday, $10,956, against $9,582 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day, $3,429,000. Payment by banks to government, $4,277,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $838,000, paid by banks to government since Friday, $1,884,000, against $1,846,000, similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago, and $296,000 paid by banks to government a year ago.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Money on call strong and higher at 6@12 per cent; ruling rate, 8½ per cent; closing bid, 6 per cent; offered at 10 per cent; time loans slightly easier; 60 days, 90 days and six months, 5 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5¼@5½ per cent; sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.85.35@$4.85.40 for demand and at $4.82.55@4.82.60 for 60 days' posted rates, $4.83@4.83½ and $4.85½; commercial bills, $4.82¾. Bar silver, 64¼c; Mexican dollars, 49¾c; government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

Statement of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption, shows: Available cash balances, $160,286,794; gold coin and bullion, $78,916,889; gold certificates, $56,232,210; silver coin and bullion, $10,137,623; silver certificates, $4,237,433; United States notes, $9,266,776; treasury notes of 1890, $38,987; national bank notes, $12,206,367; total receipts this month, $7,578,-000; total receipts this year, $467,696,241; total expenditures this month, $3,640,000; total expenditures this year, $443,541,936.

Receipts and Expenditures.

WASHINGTON, April 3.—National bank notes received for redemption today, $985,222. Government receipts from internal revenue $240,353; customs, $812,493; miscellaneous, $42,813; expenditures, $1,820,000.

Government Bond Quotations.

(Reported by Scully, Painter & Beech.)

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Prev. Day. Bid.	Ask.
U. S. 2s reg., 1930	103¾	104¼	103¾	104¼
U. S. 2s coup., 1930	103¾	104¼	103¾	104¼
U. S. 3s reg., 1908	104¼	104	104	105
U. S. 3s coup., 1908	104¼	104¾	104¼	105
U. S. 2s, small bonds, 1905	103	103	103	103
U. S. 4s reg., 1907	103⅝	104¼	103⅝	104¼
U. S. 4s coup., 1907	103⅝	104¼	103⅝	104¼
U. S. 4s reg., 1925	132¼	132⅝	132¼	132⅝
U. S. 4s coup., 1925	132¼	132⅝	132¼	132⅝
Dist of Columbia, 3.65s	116	....	116½	....
Philippine 4s, 1914-24	109¾	110¾	109¾	110¾

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Tin Can	9¼	Seaboard Air Line	20
Do preferred	66½	Do preferred	60
Electric Vehicle	10	Standard Oil	590
Do preferred	13	Tennessee Copper	47¾
Green Con. Cop.	30¾	Tonopah	18½
Interborough	233½	Bethlehem Steel	28
Int. Mer. Mar.	12¼	Do preferred	86½
Do preferred	33⅜	Greene Gold	3⅜
International Salt	41½	United Copper	69
Do 5s	70	Do preferred	89
Otis Elevator	58	Greene Gold & Silv	3
Do preferred	100		

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STOCKS IRREGULAR DURING ENTIRE DAY

Activity Well Maintained, but the Grouping of Certain Lines Continue.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, April 4.—The Herald this (Wednesday) morning says: Stocks were irregular yesterday, but considering the increasing stringency in the money market as disclosed by the advance in call rates to 12 per cent the continued heavy treasury drain and the reported loss of cash by local banks to the interior, the general security list is as accounted strong. Quite a number of stocks in which pools and cliques are active held substantial gains at the close, though the final figures were in most instances under the best prices of the day, and some reflected rather marked decline.

Activity was well maintained, but the grouping of stocks still indicated concentrated "buying," or manipulation, and commission houses, almost without exception, reported practically no increase of public participation in the market. Local houses, in fact, stated their customers displayed a disposition to sell on the advance, and the market gave indications of some such selling. Houses with out-of-town connections, however, reported some increase in buying orders.

In its general character the trading was similar to that of the market of December, when stocks advanced coincidentally with the advance in money rates, developing, in fact, some considerable buoyancy when money then soared up to 80, 100 and 125 per cent on call. The market yesterday was frequently compared to the December market, but, as a matter of fact, the development of money stringency did seem to get upon the nerves of the speculative rank and file toward the close, and the latter uncertainty was attributed to that cause.

The abnormal market of December was explained partly on the score that the "great operators" had grown too strong to be disciplined by the banks and also that these operations were based largely upon plentiful supplies of time money. The same explanation was forthcoming yesterday.

The manipulative machinery seemed to be in perfect working order. The average commission house broker looked on with amazement. Their customers are not buying, bond dealers are idle, and banks reported business at practically a standstill, except for routine work.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Butter steady and unchanged; receipts, 9,279 packages. Cheese firm and unchanged; receipts, 2,446 packages. Eggs steady and unchanged; receipts, 19,506 cases.

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—Butter steady; extra western creams, 28c; nearby prints, 27c. Eggs firm; nearby fresh, 19c at mark; western, 19c at mark. Cheese firm; New York full creams, fancy, 13½@13¾c; choice, 13@13¼c; fair to good, 12½@13c.

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 3.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; receipts, 40 casks. Rosin, nothing doing; receipts, 223. Tar firm, $1.80; receipts, 234. Crude turpentine steady, $3.00, $4.75 and $5.00; receipts, 13 casks.

SAVANNAH, GA., April 3.—Turpentine firm, 65c. Rosin firm; stock, 43,847; quote A, B, C, D, E, F, $3.40; G, $3.90; H, $4.20; I, $4.50; J, $4.50; M, $5.10; N, $5.15; WG, $5.30; WW, $5.45.

CHARLESTON, S. C., April 3.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, April 3.—The wool market is strong, with fair activity. The eastern dealers have shown a renewed disposition to contract for the new clip wools. Shearing has started in several sections of the west, notably in Southern California and Western Nevada. Territory wools are in continued demand and a little improvement in clothing grades is noted. There is a fair movement in pulled wools. Foreign grades are firm.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	.25	Little Chief	.07½
*Alice	3.50	Ontario	5.00
Breece	.35	Ophir	3.75
Brunswick Con.	.06	Phoenix	.01
Comstock Tunnel	.02	Potosi	.02
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.30	Savage	.88
Horn Silver	2.05	Sierra Nevada	.02
Iron Silver	5.25	Small Hopes	.20
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SAMUEL HAMILTON BUYS A CORNER

Secures 46x145 Feet at Penn Avenue and St. Clair Street for $112,500.

GOOD SALE IN SECOND AVE.

Samuel Hamilton has evidently taken a sudden liking to East Liberty property, for he bought yesterday the lot at the northeast corner of Penn avenue and St. Clair street for $112,500. Last week he bought the Christopher Haus property at 5615-5617 Penn avenue for $60,000. Both purchases were made through the office of George E. Kelly, who also handled the sale of the Werner lot at Penn and Highland avenues for $100,000, which was announced Sunday. Mr. Hamilton's last purchase is of 46x145 feet, extending back to Kirkwood street. A three-story brick store building and a number of smaller structures cover a good part of the lot. These have a renting value of about $2,500 a year. Whether Mr. Hamilton intends to improve the site or not could not be learned last night, but it is regarded as one of the best business corners in the New Penn avenue district. It is directly across the avenue from the former Goettmann holdings, lately sold to John D. Maboid for $100,000, and on which a four-story hotel will be erected this summer. The Hamilton purchase is at the rate of $2,445 a front foot, or $16.87 a square foot.

Invests $60,000 in Second Avenue.

Through the John K. Ewing Company Mrs. L. A. Bell has sold 112-114 Second avenue, generally known as the Bell and Quinn lots, for $60,000. The buyer takes the property for an investment. Together they have a frontage of 35 feet on the south side of the avenue, between Ferry and Market street, and a depth of 81 feet. Two three-story houses on the site are rented for $105 a month each. This is the first sale in this locality for some time and figures at the rate of $1,714 a front foot, or $21 45 a square foot.

A report was current yesterday that the Hotel Lincoln property had been sold. A. L. Richmond, Jr., who bought the property last year, promptly contradicted the rumor by saying neither the real estate nor the hotel itself had changed hands. A deal has been pending for some time for the leasing of the hotel, but this has not been closed. Mr. Richmond said.

Two Old Deals Are Disclosed.

The formal transfer of the former McKallip property in the Ninth ward to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company interests was disclosed yesterday by the registering of two deeds dated December 4 and December 9, 1903. The first deed transferred the property from L. S. McKallip to Benjamin W. Carskadden and the second from Mr. Carskadden to the Manor Real Estate and Trust Company, the buying corporation for the railroad company. The consideration was $150,000 for 37,830 square feet of ground, which figures at $3 97 a square foot. The plot has a frontage of 400 feet on the northwest side of Pike street, running from Twelfth to Thirteenth street in an irregular form. It will be recalled that the property was condemned and the case was later settled.

John Wilson, proprietor of the Hotel Wilson, has secured title to the J. J. McAllister lot at 12 Smithfield street, the sale of which was mentioned in The Gazette several weeks ago. It appears by the deed that the consideration was $100,000, the price which was reported when the sale was made. Mr. Wilson contemplates the erection of an eight-story hotel on the lot, which is 20x70 feet and adjoins his present hotel.

Samuel D. Waxman has sold to Shad Gwilliam several brick houses on 90x67 feet on the north side of Ophelia street, Fourteenth ward, for $21,000.

Hill Sale of $35,600.

The Aronson Realty Company reports the sale of the former Nicholas Snyder holdings at 49 and 51 Colwell street for $35,600. The property consists of 77x92 feet and is improved with two three-story brick apartment buildings. These are rented for $3,300 a year.

Through the office of Kane, Moore & Co. Elizabeth H. Herron and others have sold to Hester Geis a residence property, 50x70 feet, on the west side of Winebiddle avenue, Twentieth ward, for $15,000.

Joseph C. O'Hall has bought from Edna S. E. McKee the three-story house at 412 North avenue, west Allegheny, for $15,500.

WILLIAM B. DAWSON.

For several years Mr. Dawson has been a member of the firm of J. A. Gibson & Co., which lately moved to the real estate "row" in North Diamond street. He has a number of large Allegheny deals to his credit and has been especially successful in the handling of Bellevue and Avalon properties.

The residence, which is one of the oldest in that square, stands on 24x170 feet, between Resaca place and Palo Alto street, and running back to Benton alley. The deal is interesting as it helps to fix a value on nearby holdings, this sale being at the rate of $652 a front foot.

C. C. Lee has sold to Reinhold Matuszeski an improved lot, 21x100 feet, on the northwest side of Butler street, near Thirty-sixth street, Fifteenth ward, for $10,000.

Ruins and Prospects.

Pedestrians in several of Pittsburgh's leading streets were made aware of the fact yesterday that there is an era of new building on hand which will give realty values in the downtown district a very substantial boost. Fourth avenue was so clouded with dust as to make it seem like a dark day in January. Besides the big force at work on the razing of the Dallmeyer and Holmes buildings, Robert C. Hall had a lot of men tearing down the old buildings on his property at 117-125 Fourth avenue. On this site, which extends from Decatur street up to the Hotel Grand, he proposes to erect a row of two-story brick store buildings which will greatly improve the appearance of the district. Next week Frank McCann will have the buildings on his site, 60x100 feet, in Fourth avenue, opposite the postoffice, razed to make room for a three-story brick mercantile block. He bought the property recently from the Mercantile Trust Company. A frontage of 86 feet on the upper south side of Liberty, between Oliver and Sixth avenue, is being cleared to make room for a four-story brick store building. In Duquesne way the old building of the Pittsburgh Natatorium Company will be razed to provide a site for the 14-story power building which Henry Phipps will erect, and in the rear of which will be a three-story natatorium, to be the best in the state.

Architect Thomas McKee is preparing plans for 22 houses which John H. Elder will build at Wilkins place and Beeler street at a cost of $3,000 each.

Architects Beezer Brothers are taking bids on the residence and store building to be erected for the Thaw estate at First avenue and Smithfield street.

Members of Valetta commandery, No. 129, Knights of Malta of Braddock, have decided to build a $25,000 hall on a site 48x110 feet in Corey avenue.

New Real Estate Firms.

G. H. Livingston & Co. is the name of a new real estate firm which is now located at 530 Ellsell block. The members are G. H. Livingston and F. N. Levy, and the company will do a general realty business.

W. T. McKissock, the Allegheny plumber, has leased for a term of years the building at 208 West Park way, Allegheny, and is remodeling it for his business.

Heberton avenue: J. A. Young & Co. sold for E. E. Weniger to Paul Livingston 819 Heberton avenue, near Stanton avenue, Nineteenth ward, an eight-room brick house on 29x100 feet, for $7,800.

Atwood street: W. J. White sold for John J. McDermott to Mrs. Lucy Brown 344 Atwood street, two frame houses on 22x100 feet, for $3,500.

Muriel street: John Murphy bought at sheriff's sale the interest of Samuel S. Miller in an improved property, 18x67 feet, on the south side of Muriel street, near Eleventh street, and an improved lot, 24x120 feet, on the south side of Twelfth street, Thirty-ninth ward, for $4,775.

Craig street: D. L. Parkinson sold to Annie H. Williams an improved lot, 30x140 feet, on the east side of Craig street, near Center avenue, Thirteenth ward, for $9,825.

Aiken avenue: Thomas Atchison sold to Herbert C. Burchinal an improved lot, 30x155 feet, on the east side of Aiken avenue, near Claybourne street, Twentieth ward, for $4,500.

Race street: George H. Shickler sold to Dorothea E. Heckman an improved lot, 25x65.5 feet, on the south side of Race street, near Park avenue, Thirty-seventh ward, for $3,800.

Kincaid street: Charles H. Baker sold to W. W. Bond an improved lot, 25x105 feet, on the north side of Kincaid street, near Vista street, Nineteenth ward, for $5,000.

Manilla street: Robert J. McCally sold to Jacob Altman an improved lot, 30x100 feet, in Manilla street, Seventh ward, for $7,000.

Building permits were issued to David Dines for a two-story brick veneered dwelling on Amber street to cost $5,000 and to Patrick Dillon for a three-story brick veneered Dwelling on Dusque Lanna street to cost $6,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Mollenaur E P to Jean B Lake, April 2, Scott twp, 50x130, Academy avenue $ 1,025
Schmidt Eugene to Charles Geyer, March 31, 11th ward, Allegheny, 71x142, Shady ave. 4,615
Cline S to Lisette Knapp, Jan 2, Wilkinsburg, 33x132, Franklin ave. 5,000
Oartel J A to Peter A Crane, Jan 31, Braddock, 20x110, Camp ave. 1,700
Highland Realty Co. to A O Thompson, March 16, 19th ward, Pittsburgh, 33x100, Portland st. 9,700
Houston E W to S M O Grant, March 9, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 64x84, Llewellyn place 2,300
Rosenberg, Joseph & to Jacob Rosenberg, April 2, 8th ward, Pittsburgh, 32x51, Center ave. 8,600
Davison E Jr to J S Algeo, March 12, 17th ward, Pittsburgh, 30x100, Calvin st. 1,500
Daufen H J to A Mandelblatt, March 13, 11th ward, Pittsburgh, 25x184, Erin st. 5,900
Hines E B to J H McLain, March 21, Wilkinsburg, 35x152, Franklin st. 4,000
Brown Cyri to K J Sutton, March 31, Coraopolis, 35x70, Fourth ave. 3,250
Martsolf M J to J Olinger, February 3, McKees Rocks, 25x148, Mary st. 1,500
Hill Thomas M to J M Giles, February, 28, West Homestead, 20x94, Sarah st. 2,000
Martin A to George E Wayland, Feb 26, 8th ward, Pittsburgh, 20x130, Locust st. 5,600
G M Cypher Land Co to David Marker, April 2, 9th ward, McKeesport, 50x100, Collins ave. 1,000
Devenny J C to M M Watkins, March 8, East McKeesport, 50x185, Broadway. 1,000
Bartle E to Mollie E Brant, March 1, 8th ward, McKeesport, 50x120, Sumner st. 2,300
Zinkhan William to C K Reinhart, April 2, McKees Rocks, 48x100, Caughey st. 1,500
Griffith W A to L J Coleman, March 15, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 54x142, Thomas st. 22,500
Kinsey J H to Luke Baxter, March 24, Millvale, 14x130, Evergreen ave. 1,800
Ginter J M to I V McBurney, March 27, Braddock, 20x65, Wash ave. 2,200
Miller G A to T F Thornton, March 21, O'Hara twp, 2 acres 3,000
Bishoff S A to August Mann, October 30, Rankin, 49x81, Third ave. 4,500
Bishoff T G to same, December 20, Rankin, 48x120, Kenmawr ave. 6,200
Moore J H to G Etzel, March 1, Braddock twp, 1 acre 1,800
Baker A J to Philip Clement, March 8, 27th ward, Pittsburgh, lot, Berger ave. 1,875
Schlarb J & J Lutz, March 19, Sharpsburg, 25x188, Penn st 1,100
Edwards L E to Olivia Love, March 9, 20th ward, Pittsburgh, 25x187, Walnut st. 6,200
Willock H H to O H Bateman, March 29, Oakmont, 75x151, Tenth st. 1,650
Jones C W to Beth Maghaz Z Kalmim, March 30, 13th ward, Pittsburgh, 3 acres 20,000
Jones W J to A W Mosley, March 29, Homestead, 20x110, 18th ave. 2,400
Curry W L to M E Union church, Pittsburgh, December 1, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 120x120, Lemington ave. 4,000

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, April 3.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at a decline of 5@10 points in response to lower European cables, rather bearish private estimates of Brazilian receipts during April, and as a result of May liquidation. Trading was considerably more active than recently and the tone seemed somewhat unsettled, but offerings were pretty well absorbed around the initial figures and the market closed steady net 5@10 points lower. Sales for the day were reported at 91,000 bags, of which about 19,000 bags represented exchanges. Transactions included April at 6.55c; May at 6.55@6.85c; July at 6.75@6.83c; September at 6.90@7.00c; December at 7.20@7.25c, and March at 7.40c. Coffee—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice, 8 1-4c; mild steady. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 1-32c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 17-32@3 9-16c; molasses sugar, 2 25-32@2 13-16c; refined steady.

CANNED TOMATOES ARE NOW IN THE LIMELIGHT

Baltimore Market Is Cornered and Price Bound to Go Higher. No Change Here.

There were few changes yesterday in the local market, and there is no indication that for a few days any change will be made. Probably the most notable condition is that of canned tomatoes. The market in Baltimore has been cornered by the purchase of 35,000 cases, which means a higher price for this staple. Local merchants have not yet made an advance, but it is predicted that it will follow in a few days. Tomatoes are now quoted at $1.15 a case, around which mark they have hovered for the past few months.

Butter took an upward turn of 1 cent a pound yesterday. The local market is controlled wholly by the Chicago market, which advanced, and the Pittsburgh market followed suit. The supply is still good, but the demand is great.

Eggs are really stiffer than they appear on the surface, and the price should be 1 cent higher, but on account of the fluctuating market the price has not been changed. Already eggs are being stored for the coming year, and the shipments to the city from the west amount to practically nothing. Most of the eggs consumed in Pittsburgh are from the southern market, and the local dealers are unable to get enough to fill the demand from this source.

Flour still remains firm, with no prospect of a lower figure at the present time. Wheat is weak, but millers having increased their output, which keeps the market flooded. Buyers hesitate to buy and are only doing so for the purpose of storing and hoping for an advance.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts bullntined yesterday were: Pennsylvania, 7 cars oats, 6 corn, 4 hay, 1 feed and 1 straw; Baltimore & Ohio, 2 cars hay; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 9 cars hay, 2 corn, 1 feed.

Receipts showed no increase yesterday and prices are unchanged. Timothy hay and corn are still in demand, with no relief in sight from the present high market. Not for some years past have the same conditions prevailed and no logical reason can be given for the high prices except the late winter.

No. 1 timothy ..... $13.75@14.25	No. 1 middlings ..... $21.50@22.00
No. 2 ..... $12.75@13.25	No. 2 middlings ..... $21.00@21.50
No. 1 clover..$10.00@10.50	do brown...$13.50@23.00
No. 2 clover...$9.00@9.50	Bran, ton ..... $20.00@20.50
No. 1 mixed..$11.00@11.25	Wheat, No. 1 red, at mill..80@83c
No. 2 mixed..$10.00@10.50	Corn—New yellow shelled ..... 51¼@52c
Straw, oat ..... $5.50@7.00	New high mixed ear ..... 51@52c
do wheat ..... $8.50@7.00	New yellow ear ..... 51@53c
do rye ..... $8.50@8.75	No. 2 Michigan rye ..... 72@73c
No. 2 white oats ..... 36@38½c	
No. 3 white oats ..... 35½@36¾c	
No. 4 oats ..... 34½@35c	

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy ..... $6.50@7.00	Bananas, lsts..$1.75@2.00
Other fancy varieties ..... $6.00@6.50	do 2nds ..... $1.00@1.25
do choice..$4.50@6.00	Pineapples, smooth, Cayennes ..$4.00@4.50
do California, box ..... $2.00@3.50	Red Spanish...$4.00@4.50
Lemons, Messinas, fancy ..... $3.00@4.00	Limes, per 100 ..... $2.00@2.50
do choice ..... $2.00@3.25	Dates, stuffed 15c
Oranges, Florida ..$4.00@4.50	Figs, California, box ..... 90@$1.00
California seedlings ..... $2.00@2.50	Layer, lb ..... 10@20c
Naval ..... $3.50@4.00	Grapes, Malaga, bbl..$5.00@6.50
Cocoanuts, per bags ..... $5.25@3.50	do fancy ...$6.00@7.00
do doz. ..... 45@50c	Grape fruit, Florida ...$5.00@6.00

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	do Wis. Swiss, tubs ..... 15@15½c
Prints ..... 29@29½c	do block ..... 15@15½c
Tubs ..... 27½@28½c	do imported...27@27½c
Ohio cream..... 25½@26c	do Limburger, new ..... 13½@14c
Dairy ..... 19@20c	do 5-lb brick, new ..... 14¼@15c
Cooking ..... 14@15c	do Neufchatel, large box..90c@$1.00
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new..14½@15c	do Shefford, box.....35c
Ohio full crm..14½@15c	Eggs, selected....18@17c
do ¼ cream..13@13½c	do southern.....14@15c
do picnics....15@15½c	
do Phila. cream, doz. ..... 90c@$1.00	

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens ..... 15@16c	Ducks, ruddy $1.25
do roosters ....9@10c	do red head.$1.70@3.00
Turkeys ..... 18@20c	do canvasback ..... $2.75@3.00
Geese ..... 10@11c	Impt. golden plover, doz. $3.50
Ducks ..... 15@16c	do black plover...$4.50
Pigeons, doz..$1.00@1.15	English pheasants, per pair $3.25
Dressed hens..18@15½c	
do springers ..19@20c	
do roosters ....12@c	
do turkeys ....2@27c	

GROCERIES.

Flour	do coffee A 4.50c
Fancy spg. Minn. pat. ..... $4.00@4.45	do No. 1 yellow..4.38c
Kansas pat ..$4.65@4.90	do No. 2 yellow..4.30c
Fancy winter patent ..... $4.25@4.50	Beans.
Rye ..... $3.85@3.90	Navy, choice, H. P. ..... $1.75@1.85
Buckwheat ..$2.40@2.50	Red kidney ..$3.25@3.30
Graham, 10-lb bags ..... $2.25@2.45	Cal. lima, lb ....5¼@5½c
Cornmeal, bags ..... $3.10@3.20	Peas, dried, bu ..... $1.50@1.85
Rolled oats, bbl.. $7.50	do split, lb 3½c
do bags $2.75	do marrowfat, bu ..... $1.75@1.85
Roasted Coffee.	Oil, carbon, 110 deg 12c
Rio ..... 15@15½c	do water white..... 12c
Santos ..... 23½@24½c	do Ohio W. W. 150 deg. 12½c
Maracaibo ..... 16@16½c	do Elaina 15c
Peaberry ..... 18½@19c	Miners' oil, special brands ..... 20@45c
Golden Rio 15½c	Rice, ex-fancy head, lb. ..... 6¼@7c
Caracas ..... 20@21½c	do fancy Japan ..... 4¼@5c
Standard, pkgs...14.35c	do choice, Carolina ..... 5½@6c
High grade..15½@16½c	Salt, No. 1 bbl.... $1.10
Molasses, fancy, refined ..... 25@26c	do No. 1 extra.... $1.20
do choice ..... 31@34c	do gran. rock..... 85c
do open kettle..37@39c	do pocket..... $1.65@2.10
do 2-lb 25c	do dairy $1.40
do 3-lb ..... $1.35@1.55	Lentils, fancy, "G-O," lb..... 4½@5½c
Fancy syrup ....28@30c	Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask.$7.50@8.00
Maple sugar, gal..$1.06	do 15-gal keg.$3.50@3.75
Sug. and cane...21@25c	do bbls. ....$2.50@6.00
2-lb cans, doz....86c	Honey, combed, w. c. fancy, lb..... 14@18c
2½-lb cans, doz..95c	do choice ..... 15@18c
5-lb cans, doz...$1.70	do buckwheat....15@16c
10-lb cans, doz..$3.40	Bermuda onions ....$3.25@3.50
Maple, gal.....75c@$1.00	
Sugar, stan. gran. 4.70c	
do gran. 4.70c	
do 5-lb carton...4.85c	
do 5-lb bags 4.85c	
do pow'd xxxx...4.85c	
do stand. pow'd.4.85c	
do cut loaf block.4.95c	
do cubes 4.95c	

PRODUCE.

Potatoes ..... 85@90c	do hampers...$1.25@2.25
New potatoes, bbls ..... $5.00@6.00	Spinach, bskt. ....60@75c
do bu. ..... $1.75@2.00	do bbls. ....$1.75@2.00
Sweet potatoes, Jersey; fancy, bbl. ..... $3.25@3.50	Spring spinach, doz. ..... 60@75c
Jersey sweets, crate ....$1.15@1.25	Asparagus, Cal., bunches ..... 50@75c
do fancy, hamper ...$1.15@1.25	do doz. ..... $6.00@8.00
Onions, yellow Danvers bu. ..... 50@60c	Rutabagas, bbls. ..... $1.00@1.15
do bbls ....$1.75@2.00	Kale, bbl. .....75c@$1.00
Silver skins, bbls. ..... $3.50@4.00	Eggplant, crt..$2.00@3.50
do bu. ..... $1.50@1.75	Nearby Butte ..... 85@90c
Valencia, crates ....$3.50@4.00	Watercress, doz. $0@40c
do Spanish, crates ....$1.15@1.25	Cauliflower, Cal., crates ..... $4.00@4.50
Cabbage, G. S. bbls. ..... $3.00@3.50	Carrots, bbls..$2.25@2.50
do pound ..... 3@3½c	Cucumbers, Boston, doz..$1.25@1.50
Green onions, doz. ..... 15@20c	Turnips, bbl..$1.50@2.00
Onion sets, bu., Ky. and O..$2.00@3.00	do bu. ..... 65@75c
do Erie ..... $3.50@3.75	Beets, bbl. ....$2.50@2.75
Green peppers, crate ..... $3.50@4.00	New beets, doz. ..35@40c
California celery, crate ..... $6.00@6.50	Popcorn, lb. ..... 4@6c
do doz. ..... $3@90c	Mint, doz. ..... 50@55c
Florida celery, crate ..... $3.25@3.50	Parsley, doz. ....40@50c
do ..... 70@90c	Parsnips, bbl..$1.75@2.00
Endive, bbl...$6.50@7.50	Horseradish ....$5.00@5.50
Escarali ..... $4.50@5.00	Brussels sprouts, quarts ....15@18c
Lettuce, bskt....40@60c	Radishes, doz. ..25@50c
Head lettuce, bbl. ..... $5.00@7.00	Shallots ..... 50@65c
	Strawberries, qt..30@40c
	Rhubarb, doz. ..60@65c
	Green beans, bu. ..... $4.50@5.00
	New peas, bu..$5.00@6.00
	New cabbage, crates ..... $2.25@3.50

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie...$1.05	Raspberries ....$5@55c
do pie, gal.$2.50@3.00	Gooseberries ....85@90c
do California, L. C. ....$1.90@2.05	Tomatoes, fancy ....$1.05@1.25
do California, Y. F. ....$1.80@2.25	do standard..$1.00@1.05
Corn, fancy...$1.10@1.20	do gal. $2.45
do standard....80@90c	Succotash, 1-lb cans ..... $1.10@1.25
Cherries, California, white ....$2.00@2.75	Baked beans, cans, Tomato sauce..75@85c
Lima beans...$1.25@1.45	Salmon, red...95c@$2.00
do soaked ....75@80c	do red, 1-lb dats ..... 95c@$1.00
String beans, 2-lb ..... 65@70c	do pink, 1-lb talls ..... $1.81@2.10
do 3-lb ..... 90@95c	Chipped beef...$2.25@2.75
Stringless beans ....$1.10@1.60	Corn and peas, beef, 2-lb cans...$2.20@2.40
Peas, marrowfat ..... 80@90c	do 1-lb cans.$1.25@1.30
do early June..75@90c	Mackerel, broiled ....$1.90@2.50
do soaked ....55@65c	Sardines, domestic, ¼s....$2.80@3.00
Plums, California ....$1.40@1.65	do mustards, ¼s..$2.50
Apples, N. Y. gal. cans..$2.50@2.75	do French...$6.50@18.50
Pineapples ...$1.25@2.50	

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu. ..... 75@80c	Apples, Fancy, bbl..$5.50@6.00
Cabbage, G. S., ton ..... $33.00@40.00	Choice, bbl...$4.50@5.00
Florida celery, crate ..... $3.00@3.25	Onions, bbl....$1.65@1.70
	do bu. ..... 40@55c
	Cal. celery ...$5.00@5.50

NUTS.

New California walnuts 17c	English walnuts, lb ..... 12@15c
Chestnuts, Italian ..... 7@8c	Butternuts ....$1.25@1.50
Hickory nuts, bu. ..... $1.75@2.00	Hazelnuts, lb. ....11@12c
Walnuts, bu. ...50@75c	Almonds, lb. ....14@15c
	Pecans, lb. ....11@12c
	Shellbarks ....$2.00@2.25

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	Breakfast bacon,
18 lbs and up..... 12c	back strips 11¾c
Over 14 to 18 lbs..11¾c	Dry salt sides, extra
Over 10 to 14 lbs...12c	short clears 9¾c
10 lbs and under..12¾c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 10c
Skinned 13c	do 16 to 20 lbs....10¾c
Boneless boiled 19c	do under 16 lbs...10¾c
California 9¾c	Dry salt smoked
Shoulders, N. Y., cut 8¼c	sides extra
do skinned 10c	short clears 10¾c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs...12¾c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 11c
do 10 to 12 lbs...12c	do 16 to 20 lbs....11¾c
do back strips ..11¾c	do under 16 lbs...11¾c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs. 13c	Lard, pure, tierces...9c
do 10 to 12 lbs..12¾c	

FIELD SEEDS.

No. 1 red clover, recleaned, bu.. $8.05	Fancy orchard grass, bu. $1.75
No. 1 white clover, lawn, bu. $9.00	Fancy red top, lawn, bu. $1.50
No. 1 Alsike clover, bu. $8.50	Recleaned alfalfa...$8.00
Strictly prime timothy, bu. $1.55	Fancy lawn grass, lb. 18c
Fancy Kentucky blue grass, bu..$1.70	Crimson clover, bu.$8.50
	Southern German millet, bu. $1.25

HIDES.

Heavy green salt steers over 60 lbs.12c	Bulls, No. 1, over 60 lbs. 9c
Light steers No. 1.11½c	Calf, green salt, No. 2 ..... 10c
Cows, all weights.11½c	do No. 1 ..... 12c

DRIED FRUITS

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs. ..... 8@9½c	do fancy .....11@12c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, lb.....10@12½c	Evap. apricots, 25-lb box, choice, 10@11½c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkg.....7½@7¾c	Cleaned currants, 1-lb pkgs ....8½@9c

The Grain Market.

The Chicago grain market was closed the entire day yesterday on account of election day. The condition of the market in various cities is given in the following telegrams:

NEW YORK, April 3.—Flour—Receipts, 17,152 barrels; exports, 12,161 barrels; steady and unchanged. Rye flour quiet. Cornmeal firm. Rye nominal. Barley steady. Wheat—Receipts, 72,000 bushels; exports, 17,649 bushels; spot firm; No. 2 red, 85¾c nominal elevator; No. 2 red, 88¾c nominal f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, 88¾c f. o. b. afloat. Options opened steady and ruled ¼c higher on favorable cables, predicted large decrease in world's visible supply, strong spot markets at the leading points, eased off partially under realizing and was generally quiet; four leading markets being closed on account of holidays; final prices were ¼@¾c net higher; May, 85¾@88 12-16; closed 85¾c; July, 83¾@84c; closed 84c; September, 82⅝@82¾c; closed 82¾c. Corn—Receipts, 2,675 bushels; exports, 123,242; spot firm; No. 2, 55c elevator and 53¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 55½c; No. 2 white, 58½c. Options market opened a shade higher in sympathy with wheat, but ruled very dull and featureless all day. The close was ¼c net higher; May, 51¾@51¾c; closed 51¾c; December closed 51¼c; September, 51¾c. Oats—Receipts, 63,000 bushels; exports, 39,858 bushels; spot market firm; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 36c; natural white, 30 to 32 pounds, 36@37¼c; clipped white, 38 to 40 pounds, 38¼@40¼c. Hay steady. Hops quiet.

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—Wheat quiet; contract grade, April, 82@82½c. Corn firm; ¼@¾c higher; April, 49@49¼c. Oats quiet; No. 2 white natural, 37c; No. 2 white clipped, 37c. Flour—Receipts, 2,800 barrels; and 2,601 sacks; 5,000 pounds in sacks; wheat, 20,000 bushels; corn, 5,000 bushels; oats, 32,000 bushels. Shipments—Wheat, 1,600 bushels; corn, 29,000 bushels; oats, 25,200 bushels.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 3.—Wheat, May, 76¾c; July, 78¾c; September, 77¼c; No. 1 hard, 77¾c; No. 1 northern, 77¼c; No. 2 northern, 75¼c. Flour unchanged. Bran in bulk, $14 00.

LIVERPOOL, April 3.—Wheat, spot nominal; futures quiet; May, 6s 7¼d; July, 6s 5¾d; September nominal. Corn, spot steady; American mixed (new), 2¼d; American mixed (old), 4s 7d; futures quiet; May, 4s 3¼d; July, 4s 3¼d.

ST. LOUIS, April 3.—Wheat, No. 2 red, cash, 85@90¼c; May, 76⅞c; July, 74¾c. No. 3 hard, 76@85¼c. Corn, No. 2 cash, 42c; May, 42¼@42¼c; July, 42⅝@42¾c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 32¾c; May, 30¾c; July, 29¾@29¾c. No. 2 white, 33¾c.

MILWAUKEE, April 3.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, 80@81c; No. 2 northern, 75½@79½c; May, 77¾c bid. Rye, No. 1, 65@65¼c. Barley, No. 2, 55c; sample, 43@52c. Corn, No. 3 cash, 43¼c; May, 44¾c asked.

DULUTH, April 3.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, 78¼c; May, 78¼c; July, 78¾c.

Evaporated Fruits.

NEW YORK, April 3.—The market for evaporated apples is reported firm, with exporters inquiring for prime stock; common to fair are quoted at 7@8¼c; fair to good, 9@9½c; prime, 9¾@10c, and fancy at 11c. Prunes are firm in tone, although demand is said to be falling off a little. Quotations ranged from 4¾c to 8c, according to grade. Apricots are in speculative demand and it is said that supplies are becoming concentrated; choice are quoted at 10@10½c; extra choice at 10¾@11c, and fancy at 11½@12¼c. Peaches are firm; choice are quoted at 10c; extra choice at 10½c; fancy at 10¾@11c, and extra fancy at 11¼@12c. Raisins are unchanged. Loose muscatel quoted at 6@6¾c; seeded raisins at 5¼@5¾c, and London layers at 1 50@1 60.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS,
Tuesday, April 3, 1906.

Cattle—Supply fair and market slow; choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs., $5 60@5 80; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs., $5 30@5 50; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $5 15@5 30; tidy, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs., $4 75@5 10; fair, 900 to 1,000 lbs., $4 10@4 60; common, 700 to 800 lbs., $3 50@4 00; good choice heifers, $4 00@4 40; common to fair heifers, $2 50@3 75; common to good fat cows, $2 00@4 00; common to good fat bulls, $3 00@4 25; good fresh cows and springers, $35@50; common to fair, $20@30.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply light and market slow; prime wethers, 85 to 100 lbs., $6 00@6 25; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs., $5 70@6 00; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs., $5 25@5 50; common, $3 00@4 00; lambs, $5 00@7 00; veal calves, $6 00@6 50; heavy and thin, $4 00@4 50; clipped sheep, $3 00@5 25; clipped lambs, $4 50@5 75.

Hogs—Receipts light and market steady; prime heavy, medium and heavy Yorkers, $6 85@6 90; light Yorkers, $6 70@6 80; pigs, $6 55@6 60; light Yorkers, $6 70@6 80; pigs, $6 55@6 65; roughs, $5 50@6 00; stags, $3 75@4 50.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

KANSAS CITY, April 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000 head, including 800 head southerns; market steady to 10c lower; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 30@5 90; fair to good, $4 85@5 25; western fed steers, $5 80@5 25; stockers and feeders, $3 00@4 80; southern steers, $3 75@5 25; southern cows, $2 50@4 25; native cows, $2 25@4 15; native heifers, $3 50@5 25; bulls, $3 00@4 25; calves, $3 00@6 50. Hogs—Receipts, 15,700 head; market steady; top, $6 40; bulk of sales, $6 22½@6 35; heavy, $6 20@6 40; packers, $6 25@6 35; pigs and lights, $5 25@6 32½. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3,000 head; market 5@10c higher; native lambs, $5 25@6 50; western lambs, $5 25@6 50; ewes and yearlings, $4 50@5 80; western fed sheep, $5 50@6 00; western fed yearlings, $4 50@5 80; stockers and feeders $3 00@4 50.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Beeves—Receipts 504 head, all for slaughterers direct except one car. No trading in live cattle; feeling dull but steady. Dressed beef slow at unchanged prices; common to choice sides, 6½ to 8¼c per lb. Exports today, 850 cattle, 1,350 sheep and 4,200 quarters of beef; tomorrow, 2,900 quarters of beef. Calves—Receipts, 15 head, all light veals, and sold at $6 50. Market steady. Dressed calves steady; city dressed veals, 7 to 11¼c per lb.; choice heavy, 12c; country dressed, 5 to 8c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts none; 12½ cars held over yesterday. Slow but about steady. Sheep nominal. Unsworn lambs, all Colorados and western, sold at $7 00; car of clipped Colorados at $5 80. Hogs—Receipts, 2,655 head, all for slaughterers. Nominally firm.

CHICAGO, April 3.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500 head; market slow, common to prime steers, $4 60@6 40; cows, $2 40@5 00; heifers, $2 75@5 50; bulls, $2 60@4 25; calves, $3 75@6 75; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 75. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; market 5c higher; mixed and butchers, $6 45@6 62½; light, $6 45@6 57½; heavy, $6 30@6 60; packing, $6 52½@6 57½. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000 head; market steady; sheep, $4 50@6 50; yearlings, $5 75@6 40; lambs, $4 75@6 70.

CINCINNATI, April 3.—Hogs strong; butchers and shippers, $6 72½@6 75; common, $6 25@6 50. Cattle steady; fair to good shippers, $4 50@5 35; common, $2 25@2 60. Sheep strong at $3 50@4 75; lambs strong at $4 25@6 75.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, April 3.—Spot cotton closed quiet and 10 points lower; middling uplands, 11.56c; middling gulf, 11.80c; sales, 60 bales. Futures closed quiet; closing bids, April, 10.25c; May, 11.01c; June, 10.92c; July, 10.86c; August, 10.82c; September, 10.53c; October, 10.49c; November, 10.46c; December, 10.43c; January, 10.49c. Estimated receipts of cotton at the ports today, 22,000 bales, against 29,129 bales last week and 43,129 bales last year. For the week 100,000 bales, against 101,482 bales last week and 194,896 bales last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 6,983 bales, against 14,369 bales last year and at Houston, 4,359 bales, against 12,428 bales last year.

LIVERPOOL, April 3.—Spot cotton, moderate business done; prices steady; American middlings, 6.04d. The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 7,400 bales American. Receipts, 13,000 bales, including 10

FURLOUGHS COME TO RAILROADERS

Temporary Slump of Traffic Causes Local Roads to Cut Their Forces.

P., B. & L. E. ANNUAL MEETING

Slump of traffic because of coal having been stored by railroads and manufacturers is resulting in reduction of forces in railroad departments of this district. It is expected, however, there will be a full resumption of business within two weeks and that the furloughs will not extend longer. These furloughs apply to all roads in this district, although some are laying off more men than others. The Pittsburgh & Lake Erie has reduced temporarily its freight crews, the Pennsylvania has placed shop and maintenance men on shorter hours, the Baltimore & Ohio has shortened train crew time slightly and the Pennsylvania lines west are economizing in small ways that do not effect a large number of men.

Conditions of coal mining on local roads was reported as follows yesterday: Pennsylvania railroad, where mines are manned with nonunion labor, all mines but two working full and those two working about half the regular shift; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, with mainly Pittsburgh Coal Company and allied interest mines, about 70 per cent of the usual traffic in coal, with prospect for a betterment today and a full resumption within two weeks; Baltimore & Ohio, about three-fifths of the usual number of cars asked for coal mines; Wabash, all mines of Pittsburgh Coal Company working on less than full turn, with expectation of full turn again today, excepting in one mine that had been shut down for several months; Panhandle, about same condition as Pittsburgh & Lake Erie.

Col. Schoonmaker, vice-president of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, said that conditions were bright enough. The slump cannot last long, as the demand for coal is too great. Yesterday's great reduction was due mainly to the miners' holiday, and there is assurance that full traffic will be resumed within two weeks.

P., B. & L. E. Holds Meeting.

Stockholders of the Pittsburgh, Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad Company, whose property is leased to the Bessemer & Lake Erie Railroad Company and is controlled by the United States Steel Corporation, held their annual meeting in the Carnegie building yesterday. They elected the following board of directors: James H. Reed, president; L. C. Bihler, R. A. Franks, E. H. Gary, E. H. Utley, D. M. Clemson, D. G. Kerr, T. H. Given, W. N. Frew, Thomas Morrison, George W. Kepler, W. W. Blackburn, W. J. Post and J. P. Odell. Mr. Odell was re-elected vice-president and Mr. Kepler secretary and treasurer. Mr. Post is a new member of the board, having been elected to succeed the late Thomas H. Wells of Youngstown.

The annual meeting of the Vandalia Railroad Company was held in Terre Haute, Ind., yesterday, and the Grand Rapids & Indiana railway annual meeting will be held at Grand Rapids, Mich., today, executive officers of the Pennsylvania lines west being in attendance. The annual meeting of the Panhandle will be held next Tuesday.

Start Sunday Excursions.

Sunday excursions will be started on the Pennsylvania lines west for this season next Sunday on the Louisville division, when special excursions will be run from points on that division to Indianapolis and return. This is an early start for excursion business, its usual date of opening being on Memorial Day, when most of the pleasure resorts are opened. Just what effect Ohio's 2-cent passenger rate and arrangements made by officers of Ohio roads will have on Sunday excursions in that state is not yet known, although it is expected that these excursions will be well patronized. Pittsburgh's principal Sunday excursions are to Wheeling, while the Baltimore & Ohio has Sunday excursions from West Virginia and Pennsylvania points into this city.

P. R. R. Passenger Men Pass.

Perfection of sight and hearing, or at least such acuteness of sight and hearing as to be able to pass special examinations successfully, seems to be the condition of passenger conductors, trainmen and baggagemasters of the Pennsylvania railroad's Pittsburgh division. This examination is being conducted by Passenger Trainmaster John Keiser. About one-third of the men have been examined, with not one failing to pass all tests successfully.

Special Masonic and Elks' Trains.

Members of the Masonic order in Pittsburgh and Allegheny to the number of about 250, occupied a special train on the Wabash last night to and from Steubenville. They were in charge of Traveling Passenger Agent Walter S. Turnbull and went to Steubenville to assist in ceremonies attendant upon initiation of new members at that city.

Perry A. Marr, traveling passenger agent of the Illinois Central railroad at Cincinnati, was a visitor here yesterday. He said arrangements have been made for a special train for Elks from Columbus to Denver, using the Big Four, Illinois Central and Union Pacific roads. A feature of this special train will be its carrying Al. Field's noted minstrels. Mr. Field himself being one of the leading Elks at Columbus.

W. & L. E. Fighting Electric Road.

Several years ago, when the Wheeling & Lake Erie secured the line from Falls Junction, on its main line, about 15 miles out of Cleveland, to Chagrin Falls, O., it was thought that full passenger service would hardly pay, as the Eastern Ohio Traction company had built an electric line direct from Cleveland east through Chagrin Falls. Demand has come, however, for better service, and Assistant General Passenger Agent Kelley announced that four trains a day each way were to be pulled on Sunday. A large number of Cleveland business men live at Chagrin Falls.

Railroad Notes.

H. T. Jenney, general traveling agent of the Lake Shore-Lehigh Valley route at Buffalo, was in the city conferring with traffic men and shippers.

Vice President Worthington spent yesterday inspecting some of the Ohio lines of the Wabash.

A pedestrians' subway was opened for service from the south platform at Glen Osborne on the Ft. Wayne yesterday morning.

A. D. Kelly, chief clerk to General Baggage Agent Bentley of the Pennsylvania lines west, has returned to duty from attending the funeral of his mother at Columbus.

John J. Sloss, former chief clerk to Agent Parrack of the Atlantic Coast Dispatch, has taken service as chief clerk to Commercial Agent Jackson of the Big Four. Miss Eleanor F. Keefe, who was in the Big Four offices a couple of years, has taken service with General Agent Hoering of the Harriman lines.

Agent Feinter of the Lehigh Valley has been notified that C. A. Blood has been advanced from general freight agent to freight traffic manager to succeed T. N. Jarvis, who was elected second vice president, and that Assistant General Freight Agent H. C. Burnett has been advanced to succeed Mr. Blood.

The Pennsylvania railroad has ordered 100 more engines from the Baldwin locomotive works, making 370 in the total new list for 1906.

PEACE CONFERENCE IN EARLY SUMMER PROPOSED

Russia Suggests Reconvening The Hague International Meeting in Short Time.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, April 3.—Unexpectedly the Russian government today made another movement toward the reconvening of the Hague conference, when Baron Rosen, the Russian ambassador presented to Secretary Root a proposal for the reconvention early in the coming summer, and indicated that the Netherlands government had assented to the proposal.

Several of the Russian proposals are really in substance the same as those proposed by The Hague conference itself as proper for consideration by another conference, but there is a suggestion of the last great war in a reference to a regulation for "opening hostilities," for the Russians have never admitted the legality in international law of the Japanese attack upon the Russian warships in Chemulpo harbor and at Port Arthur without it was asserted, due notice.

A suggestion relative to the recognition of private property rights in shipping and cargoes will find ready favor with the state department for this government has ben foremost in advocating this for many years.

The Russian program provides that all political questions shall be excluded from the conference.

Three Murderers Will Hang.

WARREN, PA., April 3.—In court here today Judge W. M. Lindsey sentenced Pelitro Nataro, Frank Gerardi and Antonio Frucci to be hanged on a date to be set by Gov. Pennypacker. The men were convicted of the murder of Raphael Farfeno at Fiona, February 11.

"THE PRINCE OF INDIA" A GREAT SPECTACLE DRAMA

It is impossible to estimate briefly the value of the dramatization of Gen. Lew Wallace's novel, "The Prince of India," which J. I. C. Clark has made and which Klaw and Erlanger presented at the Nixon theater last night. The difficulty is several fold. Whether the spectacular grandeur of the production be justified by the thread of story that has been preserved and sometimes overelaborated, may be seriously questioned. There is great scenic and panoramic glory. From the opening scene in the cave where rests the sepulcher of Hiram, king of Tyre, to the lower of the church of St. Sophia in the devastated city of Constantinople, the stage pagentry is splendid in trappings, magnificent in costume and ingenious in merely mechanical effect. Of this feature of the performance there can hardly be two opinions. The panoramic view of a storm on the Bosphorus, the magnificent arched ceilings of Constantine's throne room, the beauty and perspective of Princess Irene's palace at Theropia and the stirring scene of the siege and fall of Constantinople are all stage pictures of superlative beauty. But they are plainly and tiresomely overlaid and piled up one on top of the other, as though their makers were saying: "Here you are, but we are going you one better in a few minutes." It is a dazzling scenic triumph, but its mechanism is bold and obtrusive, even to the shouting and trample of feet that goes on when the curtain is down. This is one of the reasons why a brief review is out of the question. What is the value of all this noise and display? I shall not attempt to put an estimate upon it or seek to give it a place amid the assets of the modern theater.

As for the play itself, judged upon its merits as a dramatic structure, intelligently presenting by acting forms a story confusing is again aroused. The dramatization has been forced into this gorgeous setting and made to catch its reflection. The play has strong dramatic moments. As, for instance, when the adopted child of the Wandering Jew is stolen by the Epicureans and the Wanderer curses the faith of Constantine. But side by side with this is a mawkish and almost foolish piece of theatricism over the creeds o fthe churches and the books of the Bible, the Koran and other sacred writings. The scene in which the princess allows Prince Mohammed to go free is another intensely dramatic moment and thrills more with its possibilities than with its dramatic actualities. Mr. Clark has written well. His dialogue is in keeping with his theme, but he again and again overelaborates to meet the spirit of overelaborateness in the scenic splendors.

It is too late at night and there are too many confusing elements of strength and weakness about the play to decide its real merits. The question keeps coming back: Why all this expense and parade and what is its value either from a historical or dramatic viewpoint? The playing is excellent in places and fearfully overwrought in other places. How could it be otherwise? Even the coldest critic much be moved with sympathy for those struggling players, immersed in armor plate and stage grandeur trying to give articulate form to a drama of confused beginnings and heroic ideas. Mr. William Farnm as Prince Mohammend duplicates his work as "Ben Hur." He is a vigorous young actor, but must need guard against too effusive physical exercise and a voice which though of great volume needs to be refined in proper inflection and emphasis.

Mr. J. E. Dodson os the prince of India is just what we might expect from that fine character actor, and gives the only real settled, smooth impersonation of the entire cast. Miss Sarah Truax plays the Princess Irene graciously and with force, though the task is one that must tax the strength of that actress. She shows marked skill in repressing the prevailing tendency to keep pace with the high pitch of the moving scenes. Mr. Geraair Lawrence is admirable as Mirza. William Beach plays Constantine without color or variation. Julie Herne is unaffected as Lael. Sheldon Lewis has little chance to display his gifts and this must be said of the rest of the cast.

I write these opinions, conscious of their futility as a just estimate of what the players of the cast may be capable of doing. Klaw and Erlanger are looking for stage magnificence and it doesn't matter haw many funeral pyres they make of acting talents to light up the scenes. The entire act and accompanying music is worthy, resembling the Ben Hur music in religious and racial coloring. It was written by Prof. Horatio Parker of Yale. The stage management is under the control of J. C. Huffman, once of the local theater, who gives it energy and efficiency. I shall have more to say of the play when time affords a better opportunity.

CHARLES M. BREGG.

WILLIAM FARNUM A ND SARAH TRUAX.
In "Prince of India."

WOMAN DEFENDS HERSELF.

Helen Payton Wright, on Trial for Murder, Claims Former Husband Drank Poison.

FAIRMONT, W. VA., April 3.—(Special.)—Mrs. Helen Payton-Wright, on trial for the murder of her former husband, Jacob N. Payton, went on the stand in her own defense today, and for five hours gave clear answers to the questions of counsel for both sides. Mrs. Wright told the story of her former life with the man now dead, and said he had often talked of suicide.

She said on the day preceding Payton's death he had been drinking wood alcohol and was suffering agony. She went for a physician, but before she could get one he died. The defendant said they had kept in the house a concoction known as fish-berries and whisky which was used to kill vermin. The woman says she believed that Payton by mistake took a drink of this.

In the Oil Fields

Light wells are the rule in the lower southwest fields. In a few localities an occasional producer above the average in productiveness is found, but they are widely separated and very few of them. In the few districts that hold out inducements to increase development work the roads are in such a condition that new work is delayed and there will be very little work started for some weeks.

On State Fork, Mannington district, Marion county, the Pittsburgh & West Virginia Oil and Gas Company's No. 3, on the A. M. Rounds farm, is producing better than 200 barrels a day, and under ordinary conditions would stimulate new work in that locality. The same is true of the new Keener pool in Tyler county. The gauges of the best producers in the last-named pool are as follows: The Southern Oil Company's Nos. 1 and 2 on the R. A. Workman farm, 125 and 300 barrels, respectively; Lincoln Oil Company No. 1 on the M. L. Workman farm, 175 barrels, and the Trees Oil Co. and B. Benedum's No. 1 on the J. M. Martin farm, 110 barrels a day.

Southwest of the pool 1,500 feet Urquhart & Co. have drilled their test on the Klendenning heirs' farm through the Keener formation and found nothing. Since this well has proved a failure it will put an end to trying for an extension in that direction. Seven wells have been completed in the district and this is the first to get into the duster list. West of Stringtown, in the same county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled its No. 3 on the B. McCormick farm through the Big Injun and found that formation barren. It is now drilling to the Gordon.

In the Yellow Creek district, Calhoun county, the South Penn has drilled its No. 2 on the E. A. Sliott farm through the Berea grit and has a show for a 40-barrel producer. In the same district the Potomac Oil Company has drilled its test on the J. M. Bennett farm through the sand and has a duster. In this test but seven feet of the Berea grit formation was found, and it contained no traces of oil. On Goose creek, in Goose Creek district, Taylor county, unknown parties have drilled a wildcat on the McGraw farm into the Big Injun sand and have a show for a light pumper. This well is far removed from production and is attracting some attention. Taylor county lies east of the general course of the southwest producing belt.

South of the old Founer district, Greene county, Pennsylvania, the Dunn Station Oil and Gas Company has drilled in a test on the Carey heirs' farm that is something of a surprise. The well was drilled into the sand on Monday and as soon as the pay was tapped it began to flow and produced 25 barrels the first 12 hours. It will be good for 50 barrels a day and may do better when drilled deeper. Should the well prove better than is now indicated it will revive interest in the old field. In the Nineveh district the South Penn has drilled its No. 4 on the Blair Mitchell farm through the sand and has a 25 or 30-barrel producer. In the Georgetown district, Beaver county, John C. Rayl has completed No. 2 on the C. F. Mackall farm and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the Berea grit.

In the Clear Fork district, Monroe county, Ohio, the Southern Oil Company has completed its No. 12 on the Theresa Hersher farm and has a 20-barrel producer in the Keener sand. In the same district, the Ridgeway Oil Company has drilled its test on the J. S. Hall farm through the Big Injun and has a duster. In the Woodsfield district, the Southern Oil Company has drilled its test on the L. D. Bott farm into the Berea grit and has a 45-barrel producer from that level.

South of the Casey field, Crawford county, Illinois, two new wells have been completed. The most important well in this county is on the Shire farm and was drilled in about two months ago. It is owned by Pittsburghers. About two miles north of the Shire well David Gunchon, formerly of Bradford, Pa., and the contractor who drilled the Shire farm test, has drilled a test on the Birch farm through the sand, and has a duster. One-half mile east of the Shire farm producer Treat & Crawford have drilled a test on the Carrol farm to the top of the sand and have developed a strong flow of gas. The well is also spraying oil at the rate of 10 barrels or more a day. It has not been drilled in and is expected to make a better producer when drilled deeper into the pay.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
April 1 and 2...	155,624	March 31	92,565
		Previously	1,899,563
		Total	1,992,127
Daily average..	77,812	Daily average...	62,972

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
April 1 and 2...	146,687	March 31	43,558
		Previously	1,165,286
		Total	1,208,812
Daily average..	71,818	Daily average...	38,993
Pennsylvania runs, April 1.....			15,129
Lima, runs, April 1.....			6,873

The Oil Market.

The following are the quotations for credit balances in the different fields: Pennsylvania, $1.58; Tiona, $1.68; Second Sand, $1.68; Cabell, $1.18; Corning, $1.10; New Castle, $1.85; North Lima, 94c; South Lima, 89c; Indiana, 89c; Somerset, 96c; Ragland, 55c. The Producers and Refiners' Company quotes $1.58 for Pennsylvania oil.

OIL CITY, PA., April 3.—Credit balances, $1.58. Shipments, 105,902 bbls; average, 77,846 bbls; runs, 15,162 bbls; shipments, Lima oil, 71,194 bbls; average, 71,818 bbls; runs, 6,866 bbls.

TOLEDO, April 3.—North Lima, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

FORMER CONSUL PLEADS GUILTY

Negro Minister Acknowledges Printing a Defamatory Article About Another Preacher.

H. C. C. Astwood, a preacher of the Homestead African Methodist Episcopal church, and for seven years United States consul to Santo Domingo, pleaded guilty in criminal court yesterday to a charge of libel preferred by Israel S. Lee, also a colored preacher of the Wylie Avenue African M. E. church. Astwood was charged by Lee with having published defamatory articles about him in the Scranton Defender, of which he was at one time editor. Astwood had been released under bond and when his case was called could not be found. He appeared later and was paroled in the custody of the sheriff to give him a chance to raise the necessary money to pay the fine that will be imposed.

The case of A. Levandowski, the Warsaw, Russia, cattle dealer who is charged by Freda Cohen with the larceny of jewelry, was again called for trial yesterday. The jury failed to agree two weeks ago.

The case of W. H. Hawker, against whom there is a charge of keeping a gambling house, was nolle prossed with the understanding that the equity proceedings which Hawker has instituted against the city be withdrawn, and that the gambling devices which he has in his possession be taken out of the state. Hawker has a number of slot machines.

Judge Young handed down an opinion refusing an injunction in the case of the Lutz & Schramm Company against T. J. Minnihan, national organizer of the Teamsters' union, and the Iron City Central Trades council. In his opinion Judge Young says: "This is an application for a preliminary injunction to restrain the defendants from further circulating certain boycott notices and from further attempting by any means to boycott or attempting to boycott complainant in its business. All of the defendants filed answers denying the allegations of the complainant. From the evidence we are not satisfied the defendants committed or are responsible for the circulation of the boycott circulars."

The exceptions to the account of the executrix of the estate of F. W. Boardman have been dismissed by the Orphans' court.

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed by Jacob E. Bicks, a wholesale liquor dealer of Monaca, Beaver county, having $10,677 liabilities and $7,520 assets.

In disposing of a $6,000 estate, Bridget Gallagher of Hazelwood makes a bequest of $5 to "Kanaphen Grider," who left my home more than 20 years ago."

A libel of divorce was filed by William Schurtz against his wife, Wilhelmina Schurtz, alleging desertion.

An execution was issued by George Eyrich against the Excelsior Window Frame and Sash Company for $2,416.

LICENSE COURT STILL MAKING GOOD SPEED

Judge McClung Orders Bartenders to Have One Day of Rest.

The record in license court was beaten yesterday when 111 applicants for retail liquor licenses were called. Judge McClung announced he would try to hear the township applicants through to North Versailles today. West View, West Liberty and Wilmerding boroughs yet remain to be heard.

Albert M. Rahe of Knoxville was told to discharge his bartender or have him resign from a club. Like advice was given to Mary M. Golbach of Mt. Oliver. The court said it could not allow men to serve liquor every day in the week and then serve it in a club on Sundays. Mrs. Pauline Hays was given like warning. Mrs. Annie Bartling of McKees Rocks told the court her husband, now dead, was stabbed by some disorderly men he was ejecting from the house last fall. There was another fight 20 feet from the saloon in which a murder was committed, the people having had a drink previously.

George Danbar of Duquesne avenue, Duquesne borough, has an elastic house. If the evidence given in license court be true. He has had a license for 15 years for a 14-room house. Evidence was given that it was only a seven-room house. Judge McClung appointed a commissioner, who later reported that the wildest imagination could not make it more than a 10-room house. Attorney Long, when told this by the court, said he was surprised, as it had been sworn to be a 14-room house at least 14 times.

Attorney A. B. Stevenson made a determined fight against the granting of two old licenses and four new ones in West Homestead. He had a list of alleged topers and questioned the applicants whether they sold to them or not.

A number of residents of Sheraden borough objected to granting to the only applicant in that town, on the ground that they wanted to raise their children away from the evil influences of the saloon.

Girlhood, Womanhood, Motherhood.

THE first lesson that the young girl has of womanhood is usually a painful one. She learns to know what headache means, and backache, and sometimes is sadly borne down by this new experience of life.

All the pain and misery which young girls commonly experience at such a time may, in almost every instance, be entirely prevented or cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It establishes regularity. It tones up the general health, and cures headache, backache, nervousness, chorea, or St. Vitus's dance, and other consequences of womanly weakness or disease.

MOTHER OF THE FAMILY.

The anxious mother of the family oftentimes carries the whole burden of responsibility so far as the home medication of common ailments of the girls or boys is concerned. The cost of the doctor's visits are very often much too great. At such times the mother is invited to write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., for medical advice, which is given *free*. Correspondence is held sacredly confidential.

IT STANDS ALONE.

"Favorite Prescription" is the only medicine for women the makers of which are not afraid to print just what it is made of on every bottle-wrapper. It is the only medicine for women every ingredient of which has the unanimous endorsement of all the leading medical writers of this country, recommending it for the cure of the very same diseases for which this "Prescription" is advised.

A MOTHER'S LOVE.

A mother's love is so divine that the roughest man cannot help but appreciate it as the crown of womanhood. However, motherhood is often looked forward to with feelings of great dread by most women. At such times a woman is nervous, dyspeptic, irritable, and she is in need of a uterine tonic and nervine, a strength-builder to fit her for the ordeal. No matter how healthy or strong a woman may be she cannot but be benefited by taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription to prepare for the event. It makes childbirth easy and often almost painless.

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION

is a powerful, invigorating tonic. It imparts strength to the whole system and to the womb and its appendages in particular. For overworked, "worn-out," "run-down," debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, "shop-girls," housekeepers, nursing mothers and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequaled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic.

A STRENGTHENING NERVINE.

"Favorite Prescription" is unequaled and is invaluable in allaying and subduing nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, chorea, or St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing, nervous symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic disease of the womb. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency.

A SCIENTIFIC MEDICINE.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a scientific medicine, carefully devised by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate organism. It is purely vegetable in its composition and perfectly harmless in its effects *in any condition of the system*. For morning sickness or nausea, weak stomach, indigestion, dyspepsia and kindred symptoms, its use will prove very beneficial.

CURES OBSTINATE CASES.

"Favorite Prescription" is a positive cure for the most complicated and obstinate cases of leucorrhea, excessive flowing, painful menstruation, unnatural suppressions and irregularities, prolapsus or falling of the womb, weak back, "female weakness," ante-version, retro-version, bearing-down sensations, chronic congestion, inflammation and ulceration of the womb, inflammation, pain and tenderness of the ovaries, accompanied with "internal heat."

HOW TO LOOK BEAUTIFUL.

Young women or matrons should not allow themselves to look sallow and wrinkled because of those pains and weaknesses which become chronic and are the result of colds, tight lacing, and the imprudent care of the womanly system. Many a woman would look beautiful, have healthy color and bright eyes if it were not for those drains on her strength and those weaknesses which come all too frequently and make her life miserable. There is a ready-to-use Prescription, used a great many years by Dr. R. V. Pierce in his large practice as a Specialist in woman's diseases, which is not like the many "patent medicines" on the market, as it contains neither alcohol nor any narcotic, or other harmful drug. It is purely vegetable. It is known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and is sold by druggists.

DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT PELLETS

cure biliousness, sick and bilious headache, dizziness, costiveness, or constipation of the bowels, loss of appetite, coated tongue, sour stomach, windy belchings, "heart-burn," pain and distress after eating, and kindred derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels.

Persons subjected to any of these troubles should never be without a vial of the "Pleasant Pellets" at hand. In proof of their superior excellence it can truthfully be said that they are always adopted as a household remedy after the first trial.

One little "Pellet" is a laxative, two are cathartic. They regulate, invigorate and cleanse the liver, stomach and bowels. As a "dinner pill," to promote digestion, take one each day. To relieve the distress arising from overeating, nothing equals one of these little "Pellets." They're tiny, sugar-coated, anti-bilious granules, scarcely larger than mustard seeds.

HEALTH AND HAPPINESS.

How to live in health and happiness is the general theme of Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. This great work on medicine and hygiene, containing over 1000 pages and more than 700 illustrations, is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing *only*. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the cloth-bound volume, or only 21 stamps for the book in paper covers.

No Man Stronger Than His Stomach.

THE celebrated Dr. Abernethy of London was firmly of the opinion that disorders of the stomach were the most prolific source of human ailments in general. A recent medical writer says, "every feeling, emotion and affection reports at the stomach (through the system of nerves) and the stomach is affected accordingly. It is the vital center of the body * * * * *." He continues, "so we may be said to live by (and he might well have said *through*) the stomach." He goes on to show that the stomach is the vital center of the body. He says, "the function of digestion in its several stages is to prepare the food in forms which are suitable to be added to the structure," meaning the structure of our bodies. He continues, "every physical action from simple breathing, thinking and circulating of the blood to the most active bodily exertion wears out portions of the structure (of our bodies) and they become dead and so require to be taken away speedily. Much of the food which we take, and especially when unwholesome or in excess, adds to the waste material, and when it has undergone chemical changes it is still more mischievous." Then he goes on to the effect that the nervous system prompts every part of the circulating system. He says, "it gives its message every moment to the infinate number of glands and follicles to unload themselves of waste material so that the current of blood may carry it away."

"When these two processes of nutrition and excretion are thus carried on with equal assiduity we are in health, but when this equilibrium does not exist there comes disorder and disease. The common form of such derangement is indigestion or dyspepsia. The function of nutrition is interrupted *and all the operations which depend upon it go wrong*. Under these conditions it has a way of appearing in other types of disorder. Many of these often mislead physicians. Other parts of the organism are likely to be involved, and we may find consumption, kidney complaint, hepatic (liver) disorders, hysteria and even mental alienation (derangement)." He says, "it may be observed that deranged persons have a woe-be-gone expression, offensive breath, irregular action of the bowels, hallucinations and other like conditions of dyspepsia."

The foregoing is no doubt a rational view of the sad havoc worked in the human system by indigestion and dyspepsia, torpid liver and kindred derangements, which are generally associated with or followed by many other diseases of diverse appearance, but *all depending upon the weak and disordered stomach*. Cure the stomach weakness and you cure all these diseases and derangements.

For weak stomachs and the consequent indigestion or dyspepsia, and the multitude of various diseases which result therefrom, no medicine can be better suited as a curative agent than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The Golden Seal root, Stone root, Mandrake root and Black Cherrybark are all recommended by such eminent authorities as Dr. Bartholow, of Jefferson Medical College; Prof. John King, author of the "American Dispensatory"; Prof. John M. Scudder, late of Cincinnati; Dr. William Paine, author of Paine's Epitomy of Medicine, Dr. Hobart A. Hare, of the University of Pa.; Prof. Laurence Johnson, M. D., Medical Department, University of New York; Prof. Edwin M. Hale, M. D., Professor of *Materia Medica* in the Hahnemann Medical College, Chicago, and many others, as remedies for indigestion and dyspepsia, torpid liver as well as for bronchial, throat and lung affections, as will be seen from reading a little booklet recently compiled by Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., who will send the same on request, by postal card or letter, to any address, *free*. This little booklet tells of what Dr. Pierce's celebrated medicines are made, and gives the properties and uses of each and every ingredient entering into their composition. Write Dr. Pierce, as above and receive it by return post.

Queen's root, or Stillingia, is an ingredient entering into the "Golden Medical Discovery" highly recommended by several of the above mentioned authorities for the cure of chronic or lingering bronchial, throat and lung affections, public speaker's sore throat attended with hoarseness, dry, rasping cough and kindred affections. Not only is Queen's root specific in its curative action in all these affections, but in "Golden Medical Discovery" it is greatly assisted by the combination with it of Golden Seal root, Stone root, Black Cherrybark and Bloodroot, with which it is blended in just the right proportion. Pure, triple-refined glycerine also greatly enhances the effectiveness of all these agents in the cure of chronic and lingering coughs, being a valuable demulcent, also antiseptic, and a nutritive of great value, especially useful in all wasting diseases, as in incipient consumption and other scrofulous affections. "Golden Medical Discovery" is a sovereign remedy in all catarrhal affections, whether affecting the nasal passages, the stomach, bowels or pelvic organs and the reason *why* will be learned by reading the little booklet noted above. Send for it *now*.

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The enormous popularity of "Golden Medical Discovery" is due both to its scientific compounding and to the actual medicinal value of the ingredients. The publication of the *names of the ingredients* on the wrapper of every bottle hereafter to be sold, gives full assurance of its non-alcoholic character and removes all objection to the use of an "unknown remedy."

Every bottle of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery bears the stamp of public approval. For the dealer to offer you something he claims is "just as good" is to insult your intelligence.